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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX, No. 21.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Jan. 31.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

**POTATOES:** Calif 30, Colo 23, Conn 8, Fla 14, Idaho 216 frt, 4 mfr, Ind 3, Iowa 2, Maine 254 frt, 2 mfr, Mich 15, Minn 54 frt, 23 Government Purchases, Mont 4, Nebr 19, Long Island 18, N.Y. 6, N.D. 109 frt, 22 Government Purchases, Oregon 17, Pa 4, S. D. 3, Utah 3, Wash 11, Wisc 16, Wyo 2, total US 858 frt, 45 Government Purchases, 6 mfr; origin not specified 10; unreported 30th N.Y. 1, S.D. 4, total US 5; unreported 29th Oregon 1, S.D. 3, total US 4; unreported 28th N.Y. 1, Oregon 11, Calif 21, total US 33; unreported 27th Wisc 2; unreported 26th Ind 1, N.Y. 1, total US 2; deduct 27th Ind 1; total to date this season old US 207,846; this season new US 708; last season old US 154,947; last season new US 519.  
**APPLES:** Calif 3, Mich 2, N.Y. 9, Oregon 13, Pa 3, Va 10, Wash 100, total US 143; deduct 29th N.Y. 2; this season US 24,943, including 6 Government Purchases; last season US 34,620. **CABBAGE:** SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 11, total US 11; this season US 3,290; last season US 2,864. **CABBAGE:** Ariz 6, Calif 16, Fla 33, N.Y. 4, Texas 35, total US 69; this season old US 22,385, including 5 Government Purchases; new US 2,832; last season old US 24,436; new US 2,803. **BEETS:** Bunched- Ariz 14, Calif 19, Texas 6, total US 39; this season old US 24,267, including 45 Government Purchases; new US 4,002; last season old US 19,302; new US 4,147. **CELERY:** Ariz 1, N.Y. 4 frt, 2 mfr, Oregon 2 mfr, Texas 4, total US 10 frt, 4 mfr. **CELERY:** Calif 25, Fla 48, total US 73; unreported 29th Calif 3; deduct 29th Calif 5; this season US 7,630; last season US 5,434. **GRAPEFRUIT:** Ariz 3, Fla 35, Texas 70, total US 108; this season US 13,243, including 6 Government Purchases; last season US 13,271. **GREENS:** Calif 6, Texas 2, Va 3, total US 12; unreported 29th Calif 3; this season US 492; last season US 676. **LETTUCE:** Ariz 53, Calif 220, Fla 5, total US 278; this season US 19,332; last season US 16,956. **MIXED CITRUS FRUIT:** Ariz 1, Calif 4, Fla 52 frt, 9 exp, Texas 16 frt, 2 exp, total US 73 frt, 11 exp; this season US 11,700; last season US 9,149. **MIXED VEGETABLES:** Ariz 52, Calif 27, Fla 23 frt, 1 exp, Minn 3, N.Y. 1, Texas 109, total US 197 frt, 1 exp; this season US 6,230; last season US 3,885. **ONIONS:** Calif 2, Colo 2, Idaho 2, Mich 6, Minn 3, N.Y. 6, Oregon 2, total US 23; this season US 22,201, including 67 Government Purchases; last season US 29,051. **ORANGES:** Ariz 3, Calif 145, Fla 199, Texas 10, total US 359; unreported 29th Calif 2; this season US 33,668; last season US 26,237. **PEAS:** Oregon 4, total US 4; this season US 14,268; last season US 14,080. **SPINACH:** Texas 25 frt, 10 mfr, total US 25 frt, 10 mfr; deduct 29th Texas 9; this season US 2,517; last season US 2,034. **SWEET POTATOES:** La 7, N.Y. 2; Texas 8, total US 22; deduct 29th N.Y. 1; this season US 6,826; last season US 7,007. **TOMATOES:** Fla 5, total US 5; origin not specified 16; this season US 1,447; last season US 1,331. **MISCELLANEOUS:** Broccoli Texas 5, total 12; Cauliflower Texas 3, total US 69, deduct 29th Calif 9; Escarole total US 12; Lemons total US 20 frt, 2 mfr, unreported 29th Calif 1; Peas Green total US 5, origin not specified 6; Peppers total US 1; Turnip total US 8; Turnips and Rutabagas total US 5, origin not specified 27; Lett's Texas 1, total US 2 frt, 1 mfr.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 1.

**ARRIVED:** Potatoes - 3 Colo, 3 Idaho; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Oranges - 1 Texas, 2 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total Arrivals 15.

**DIVERTED:** Potatoes - 1 Colo. Total Diversions 1.

**UNLOADED:** Potatoes - 3 Colo, 1 Idaho, 1 Nebr; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 2 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Oranges - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total Unloaded 16.

**ON TRACK:** Potatoes - 2 Colo, 3 Idaho; Cabbage - 2 Texas; Cauliflower - 1 Texas; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz; Oranges - 5 Texas, 4 Cal; Tomatoes - 4 origin not specified, 2 Texas; Onion Sets - 1 Ill. Total On Track 27.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Jan. 31.

**ARRIVED:** Potatoes - 4 Idaho, 3 Colo, 2 N.D., 2 Nebr, 1 Kan, 1 Texas, 1 Utah, 1 Maine; Apples - 1 Oreg, 1 Idaho; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Cauliflower - 1 Texas; Grapefruit - 4 Texas; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Texas; Oranges - 4 Texas; Sweet Potatoes - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified; Broccoli - 1 Ariz. Total Arrived 37.

**DIVERTED:** Apples - 1 Oregon; Lemons - 2 Calif. Total Diverted 3.

**UNLOADED:** Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 N.D., 1 Texas; Apples - 1 Oregon; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Cauliflower - 1 Texas; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 3 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Texas; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified; Broccoli - 1 Ariz. Total Unloaded 18.

**ON TRACK:** Potatoes - 5 Idaho, 1 Colo, 1 N.D., 1 Utah, 2 Nebr, 1 Kans, 1 Maine; Apples - 1 Idaho; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Texas; Oranges - 2 Texas; Sweet Potatoes - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 Texas, 2 origin not specified. Total On Track 23.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Jan. 31.

**LETTUCE:** IMPERIAL VALLEY & YUMA DIST. Mild, overcast. Demand fairly good at slightly lower prices, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen \$2.50-3.00, mostly \$2.75; 6 doz \$2.50-2.60; top ice extra.

**POTATOES:** IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min. 6°, Max 37°, partly cloudy. Moderate wire inquiry, demand moderate, market firm. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and few washed \$2.50-2.69 including some February shipments.

**LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION, Fla.** Haulings light, demand good, market slightly stronger. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, washed US No 1s and US Commercial, size "A" \$2.15-2.25; size "B" \$2.10-2.15.

**SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo.** Good wire inquiry, demand good, market firm for Feb. sales; practically nothing offered on Jan. basis. Delivered sales shipping point basis, for Feb. shipment: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", 2-inch minimum \$2.64-2.69, mostly \$2.69.

**CELERY:** SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate; for 6 doz and larger demand fair; for 8 dozen and smaller demand slow; market weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Head, individually washed and precooled, 3-4 doz \$3.25-3.50; 6 doz \$3.00-3.50, mostly \$3.25-3.50; 8 dozen \$2.75-3.00; XX's \$2.50-2.75; precooling 10¢ extra.

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LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Boxes, Wash Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy  
Jonathans \$3.52. Bulk per cwt: Romes. &  
Genos \$8.81.  
AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.45.  
BANANAS: Mex. per cwt. \$6.75; cut off  
\$7.30.  
BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs Valentines,  
fair condition \$6.25.  
BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢; L.A. crts  
4 doz \$3.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack  
\$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.  
BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50  
BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-1b drum \$6.00.  
CABBAGE: New, Tex & Ariz round type, 50-  
1b sack \$1.95; Tex bulk per cwt \$3.50.  
CARROTS: Tex per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped  
Tex bu bsks & sacks \$2.25-2.75; N Mex  
bu sacks \$2.25.  
CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.75-3.00;  
ord to fair qlty & cond. \$2.00-2.25;  
Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$3.00.  
CELERY: Golden Heart, Calif 22-in 1/2  
crts, 2-3 doz \$6.50; 16-in wirebound crts,  
2 1/2-3 doz \$5.50; Fla 16-in wirebound crts,  
2-4 doz \$5.75-6.00; Calif Pascal, 16-in  
crts, trimmed tops, 2-3 1/2 doz \$4.50-5.00.  
COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40-2.50.  
COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢.  
CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz,  
Fcy size \$3.25.  
EGGPLANT: Fla 1 1/2 bu crts, few \$7.00.  
ENDIVE: Tex L.A. crts, 5 doz \$4.50.  
GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mex 25-30¢  
GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes,  
54-125s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks \$3.00-3.75;  
Ruby Red Std. box 46-95s \$4.00.  
LEMONS: Calif boxes 360-588s \$6.75-7.00;  
fair qlty \$6.25.  
LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5  
doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.90-5.15,  
few 6 doz \$5.15.  
LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
MUSHROOMS: Mo. pint 50¢.  
MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A.  
crts, 5 doz \$3.75.  
GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢.  
ONIONS: No supplies  
ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax,  
crts, approx 6,000 \$5.00-5.50.  
ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, White  
\$6.50-7.25; Yellow \$6.00-6.75, Red \$6.00.

ORANGES: Tex Pineapple, boxes, 112-252s  
\$5.50-4.38; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; 360s  
\$2.00; Valencias, 150-288s \$4.00-4.38;  
324-360s \$3.00; Temples, boxes, all sizes  
\$4.25-5.00; bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-  
3.00; Calif Navels, boxes 80-176s \$5.00-  
5.50; 200-220s \$4.50-5.50; 252s \$4.00-  
5.00; 288s \$3.50-5.00; 324s \$3.00-4.00;  
344-392s \$2.75.  
PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmprs & bu  
bsks \$3.75-4.50.  
PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla Calif Wonders, 1 1/2  
bu crts, Choice \$7.50.  
PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s  
size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified  
\$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed  
\$3.84; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00;  
Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50;  
Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed  
\$3.75-4.00, few best \$4.34; US No 2s  
\$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites, US No 1s  
size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Tex.  
Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb  
sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
RADISHES: Tex per doz bnchs 40-50¢;  
crts, 100's \$3.00.  
RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx, 45-  
1b \$3.25-3.50.  
RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed & waxed  
50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-  
1.50.  
SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs & bsks \$1.50-1.75.  
SQUASH: Tex bu bsks, Acorn \$3.25; Fla  
Summer, bu hmprs, White \$2.00.  
SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu  
crts, US No 1s \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty  
\$3.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good  
qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and  
turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s & larger \$5.00;  
6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & 1gr  
\$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75; Tex, few ord  
to fair qlty and cond \$2.00-2.50.  
TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢;  
L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.75.  
TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 90¢; L.A. crts  
4 doz \$3.50; Topped, Tex bu bsks & bu  
sacks \$1.00-2.00.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot Grapes Gfruit

Tues Feb. 1	950	191	32	363	89	83	212	137	24	14	110
Tues Jan 25	869	146	55	407	85	80	197	155	26	42	126

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand very slow; for Ida Russets- market steady; for Northern stock market weak. On track 293; arrived 10 Colo, 26 Ida, 2 Iowa, 1 Maine, 2 Mich, 21 Minn, 1 Mont, 1 Nebr 27 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 1 Wash, 3 Wis, 2 Wyo; diverted 64. Track sales carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, very few sales \$3.35-3.45; Idaho Utility grade, washed, 1 car \$2.40; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 85% US No 1 quality, unwashed \$2.10; 1 car fair quality, unwashed \$1.65; Wis- no sales reported. New stock: Supplies light, demand fair, market unsettled. On track 1; arrived 1 Fla. Street sales: Few sales Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.75-2.85; US No 1s size "B", washed, some fair condition \$2.50; bushel baskets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.80-2.85; bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "B", washed, few \$3.10.

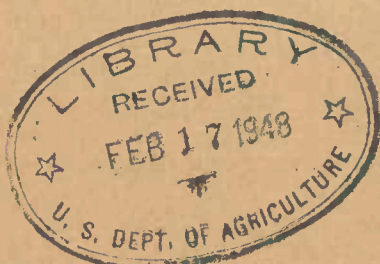
KANSAS CITY: For Idaho stock- market slightly stronger; for other stock market dull. On track 84; arrived 5 Colo, 13 Ida, 12 Minn, 5 Nebr, 6 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 2 S Dak, 1 Utah, 3 Wyo; diverted 68. Late sales Mon, early sales Tues- Carlot sales and carlot sales to outside point, Kansas City basis: Idaho 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car \$3.30; US No 2s \$2.17-2.22; 1 car \$2.27; 100-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, \$2.45-2.55; Utah 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 2s unwashed, 1 car \$2.10.

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POTATOES: Calif 21, Colo 32, Conn 3, Fla 16, Ida 233 com'l, 1 manf, Ind 2, Maine 219 com'l, 7 Govt purchases, 7 manf, Mich 17, Minn 81 com'l, 14 Govt purchases, Mont 4, Nebr 48, Nebr 4, N H 2 Govt purchases, Long Island 20, N Y 8, N Dak 91 com'l, 15 Govt purchases, Oreg 23 com'l, 1 manf, Pa 2, S Dak 5, Utah 6, Wash 14, Wis 7, Wyo 10, total US 937 com'l, 38 Govt purchases, 9 manf; origin not specified 8; unreported 31st Ida 1, Kans 1, Ind 2, total 4; unreported 30th Ida 15. APPLES: Calif 2, N Y 15 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Oreg 11, Pa 2, Va 20 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Wash 118 com'l, 4 manf, Va 2, total US 175 com'l, 2 Govt purchase 4 manf; unreported 21st Va 6. CABBAGE: Ala 1, Ariz 8, Calif 16, Fla 52, N Y 5, Tex 45, Wis 1, total US 128; unreported 31st Calif 2. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 4, Calif 24, Tex 9, total US 37; deduct from 31st Calif 2. Topped- Ariz 1, N Y 3 com'l, 1 manf, Oreg 1 com'l, 2 manf, Wash 2, total US 7 com'l, 3 manf. CELERY: Calif 28, Fla 82, total US 110. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 4, Calif 2, Fla 32, Tex 99, total US 137. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 51, Phoenix Dist 7, Calif 258, Fla 5, Tex 1, total US 322; deduct from 31st Calif 1. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 2, Calif 2, Fla 59 frt, 18 exp, Tex 20 frt, 3 exp, total US 93 frt, 21 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 57, Fla 50 frt, 5 exp, Ga 3, La 1, Minn 8, N Y 1, Tex 131, Va 1, Wash 3, total US 256 frt, 5 exp; origin not specified 1. ONIONS: Colo 32, Ida 2, Mich 9, Minn 4, N Y 21, Oreg 8, Wis 4, total US 81; unreported 30th Ida 1. ORANGES: Ariz 4, Calif 167, Fla 199, Tex 10, total US 380. PEARS: Oreg 5, Wash 4, total US 9; unreported 31st Wash 2. SPINACH: Tex 38 com'l, 3 manf, total US 30 com'l, 3 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Ala 1, Fla 1, La 6, N C 1 exp, S C 2, Tenn 2, Tex 4, total US 16 frt, 1 exp. TOMATOES: Calif 16, total US 16; origin not specified 24. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Tex 5, total US 8; Broccoli Tex 6, total US 16; Carrots mixed Ariz 7, total US 7; Escarole US 14; Grapes US 1; Greens Tex 1, total US 17; Lemons US 42 com'l, 2 manf; Mixed Deciduous Fruit US 1; Green Peas US 7; Peppers US 4; origin not specified 1; Tangerines US 12; Turnips & Rutabagas US 2; origin not specified 18.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 2.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Idaho, 2 Colo, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas 1 Origin not specified; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Tex, 3 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified. Total Arrivals 14.

DIVERTED: Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified. Total Diverted 1.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Ida; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Tex; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz, 1 Tex; Oranges - 2 Calif, 5 Tex; Tomatoes - 2 Tex. Total Unloads 19.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 3 Ida, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Oranges - 3 Calif, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 4 Origin not specified; Onion Sets - 1 Ill. Total Track 21.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 1.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 5 Ida, 3 Colo, 1 Utah, 1 N Dak, 2 Minn; Bananas - 4 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Ariz; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Wash, 2 Texas; Oranges - 3 Calif, 1 Ariz. Total Arrivals 29.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Minn, 1 N Dak, 1 Utah; Lemons - 1 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 5.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 6 Idaho, 1 Colo, 1 Maine, 1 Kans, 1 Nebr; Bananas - 4 Origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Ariz; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz, 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 2 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not Specified. Total Unloads 23.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Colo, 4 Ida, 1 N Dak, 1 Nebr, 1 Utah, 1 Minn; Apples - 1 Ida; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Gfruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 wash, 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz; Sweet Potatoes - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Tex; 1 Origin not specified. Total Track 24.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, Feb. 1.

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY, Calif. Mild, clear. Demand fairly good at slightly lower prices, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: L.A. crts, 4-5 dozen, heavy to 5 doz \$2.50-2.75, mostly \$2.50; straight and heavy 4 doz mostly \$2.65-2.75, some \$2.50; dry pack, 4 doz \$2.50. Yuma Dist, ice pack, 4-5 doz mostly \$2.50; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 6°, Max 40°, partly cloudy. Fairly good wire inquiry, demand moderate, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed and few washed \$2.61-2.69.

LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, washed, US No 1s and US Commercial, size "A" \$2.15-2.25; size "B" \$2.10-2.15.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Partly cloudy, min 5°. Good wire inquiry, demand good, market firm. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", 2-inch minimum mostly \$2.59; US No 1s size "A" \$2.54-2.69; US No 2s \$1.85-1.95.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; fair quality \$4.75; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; fair quality \$4.25; 7 x 7s \$4.00; fair quality \$3.75.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate; demand fair for large stock, demand slow for small stock; market slightly weaker. Few shipments rolled unsold. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 15-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 3-4 doz \$3.25, few lower; 6 doz \$3.00-3.25; 8 doz \$2.75-3.00; 10 doz \$2.50-2.75; XX's few \$2.00.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Mild, clear. Haulings moderate, demand good, market steady. Sales to local buyers: Bountifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$2.25-2.75; ordinary quality \$2.00; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.50; poor quality \$2.25; Plentifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.25-2.50, poorer \$1.75-2.00; Tendergreens \$3.50; fair quality \$3.25; Wax, flat type \$3.50; ordinary quality \$3.00, poorer \$1.50.

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APPLES: Bulk per cwt: Wash Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy, Rones & Ganos \$8.81.  
AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.45.  
BANANAS: Mex. per cwt. \$6.75; Central American \$9.00.

BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers Valentines \$5.75-6.00; Tendergreens \$5.50, Wax \$5.00.  
BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢; L.A. crts 4 doz \$3.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.75-3.00; small \$2.00-2.50.

BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50; per doz bnch; large \$3.00.  
BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00.  
CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb 1b sack \$1.50-1.95; Tex bulk per cwt \$2.50-3.00.

CARROTS: Tex per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped Tex bu bskts & sacks \$2.25; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00-2.25.

CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.75-3.00; ord to fair qlty & cond. \$2.00-2.25; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$3.00.

CELERY: Golden Heart, Calif 22-in 1/2 crts, 2-3 doz \$5.50; 16-in wirebound crts 2-3 doz \$5.50; Fla. 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.75-6.00; Calif Pascal, 16-in crts, trimmed tops, 2-3 doz \$4.50-5.00.

COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40-2.50.

COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢.

CUCUMBERS: Fla bu bskts, Fcy \$6.00; Hot-house, Ind. boxes, 1 doz, Fcy size \$3.25.

EGGPLANT: Fla 1 1/2 bu crts, 48s \$6.50-7.00.

ENDIVE: Tex, L.A. crts, 5 doz \$4.50.

GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mex 25-30¢.

GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks \$3.00-3.75;

Ruby Red Std. box 46-96s \$4.00.

LEMONS: Calif boxes 360-588s \$6.75-7.00;

fair qlty \$6.25.

LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.90-5.15,

few 6 doz \$5.15.

LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.

MUSHROOMS: Mo. pint 50¢.

MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.75.

GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢.

ONIONS: No supplies

ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000, \$5.00-5.50.

ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks; White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75, Red \$6.00.

ORANGES: Tex Pineapple, boxes, 112-252s \$3.50-4.38; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; 360s \$2.00; Valencias, 150-344s \$4.00-4.35; Temples, boxes, all sizes \$4.25-5.00; bu bskts, 252-324s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Navels boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.50; 200-220s \$4.50-5.50; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-5.00; 324s \$3.00-4.00; 344-392s \$2.75.

PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.

PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmpers & bu bskts \$3.75-4.50.

PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.

PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla. Calif Wonders, 1 1/2 bu crts, Fcy \$10.00; bu bskts, Choice \$5.00.

PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.

POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.84; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00;

Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50;

Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00, few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites, US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40.

New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.

RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢.

crts, 100's \$3.00.

RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx. 45-lb \$3.25-3.50.

RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed & waxed 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.

SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers & bskts \$1.50-1.75.

SQUASH: Tex bu bskts, Acorn \$3.25; Fla. Summer, bu hmpers, White \$7.00.

SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bskts, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.

TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s & lgr \$4.50-5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & lgr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75; Tex, few ord to fair qlty & cond \$2.00-2.50.

TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.75.

TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.50; Topped, Tex bu bskts & bu sacks \$1.00-2.00.

## COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot Grapes Gfruit

Wed Feb 2	800	201	23	363	81	88	198	136	21	10	119
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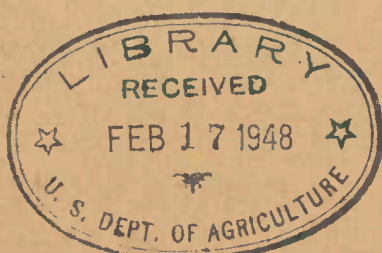
## REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Raining, 33°. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand very slow; market about steady for Western stock; market weak for Northern stock. On track 239; arrived 8 Colo, 26 Ida, 3 Mich, 17 Minn, 3 Nebr, 7 N Dak, 5 Wis; diverted 50. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, very few sales \$3.40; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.74; 1 car unwashed \$3.35; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 75-85% US No 1 quality, unwashed, very few sales \$2.00-2.10; Cobblers, 1 car unclassified, unwashed \$2.00; Wis Chippewas, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, 1 car \$2.35; US Commercial, unwashed, 1 car \$2.10. New stock: Supplies light, demand light, market steady. On track 1; arrived 1 Fla. Street sales: Fla. 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.75-2.85; US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.50.

FORT WORTH: Cloudy, 54°. Market slightly stronger. On track 6; arrived 1 Ida, 2 Colo, 1 N Dak; unloaded 2 Colo, 1 Idaho. Carlot sales delivered Fort Worth basis: Late sales Tues- 100-lb sacks, Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", 1 car \$3.44; mixed car, 10-lb sacks, US No 1s size "A" \$3.80; Idaho Stan ard grade \$3.40 per cwt; Colo Brown Beautys, 100-lb sacks, US No 1s size "A", 1 car \$3.00. Wed., Feb. 2, 1944. Charles D. Sherman  
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Thur., Feb. 3, 1944

MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX No 23.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 2.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 8, Colo 47, Conn 2, Fla 22, Idaho 243 frt, 2 mfr, Ind 4, Iowa 1, Kan 1, Maine 306 frt, 13 Government Purchases, 5 mfr, Mich 18, Minn 66 frt, 13 Government Purchases, Mont 3, Nebr 44, N.H. 1 Government Purchase, Long Island 13, N.Y. 8, N.D. 96 frt, 11 Government Purchases, Oregon 17, Pa 1, S.D. 6, Utah 2, Wash 9, Wisc 18, Wyoming 8, total US 943 frt, 38 Government Purchases, 7 mfr; origin not specified 2; unreported 1st Fla 1, Mont 1, total US 2; unreported 28th Ind 1. APPLES: Calif 2, Idaho 3, Mich 3, N.Y. 11, Oregon 9, Pa 2, Va 14 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Wash 133, W. Va 4, total US 181 frt, 1 Government Purchase; unreported 1st W. Va. 1; unreported 31st W. Va 7; deduct 31st Va 6. BEANS, SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 26, total US 26. CABBAGE: Ariz 5, Calif 16, Fla 46, La 1, N.Y. 8, Texas 73, total US 149. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 14, Calif 16, Texas 9, total US 39. Topped- Ariz 3, Mich 1, N.Y. 3 frt, 1 mfr, Oregon 3 mfr, Texas 2, total US 9 frt, 4 mfr. Mixed- Texas 1, total US 1. CAULIFLOWER: Ariz 26, Calif 44, Texas 5, total US 75; deduct 1st Fla 2. CELERY: Calif 22, Fla 94, total US 116. GRAPE-FRUIT: Ariz 9, Calif 1, Fla 48, Texas 103, total US 161. GREENS: Calif 2, Fla 2, Ga 1, Texas 2, Va 2, total US 6. LETTUCE: Ariz 50, Calif 254, Fla 2, Texas 2, total US 308. MIXED CITRUS FRUIT: Ariz 1, Calif 3, Fla 74 frt, 19 exp, Texas 21 frt, 3 exp, total US 99 frt, 22 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 24, Calif 46, Colo 1, Fla 49 frt, 5 exp, Ga 2, La 2, Minn 6, N.Y. 2, Texas 112, total US 244 frt, 5 exp. ONIONS: Colo 23, Idaho 4, Mich 6, Minn 2, N.Y. 11, Ohio 1, Oregon 6, Wisc 2, total US 55; unreported 1st Ohio 1. ORANGES: Ariz 4, Calif 145, Fla 253, Texas 11, total US 413. SPINACH: Texas 74 frt, 6 mfr, total US 74 frt, 6 mfr. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, La 10, N.C. 1, S.C. 3, Tenn 1, Texas 1, total US 17; deduct 1st Fla 1. TOMATOES: Fla 20, total US 20; origin not specified 4. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Texas 2, total US 6; Broccoli Texas 9, total US 24, unreported 1st Ariz 5, unreported 21st Ariz 3, unreported 30th Ariz 1, unreported 28th Ariz 5; Eggplant total US 1; Escarole total US 12; Grapes total US 2; Lemons total US 52 frt, 3 mfr; Pears total US 7; Peas, Green total US 4; Peppers total US 3; Tangerines total US 13; Turnips and Rutabagas Texas 1, total US 5, origin not specified 11.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 3.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Colo; Celery - 1 Calif; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas; Oranges - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified. Total Arrivals 9.

DIVERTED: Apples - 1 Wash; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total Diversions 3.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 2 Idaho, 1 N.D.; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified; Onion Sets - 1 Ill. Total Unloaded 11.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 N.D.; Celery - 1 Calif; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 1 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas; Oranges - 2 Texas, 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 4 origin not specified. Total On Track 16.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 2.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 5 Colo, 2 Idaho, 2 Nebr, 1 Maine, 1 N.D.; Beans, Snap - 1 Calif; Celery - 2 Fla; Lemons - 4 Calif; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Ariz; Oranges - 2 Texas, 1 Calif, 1 Arizona; Tomatoes - 1 Texas. Total Arrivals 29.

DIVERTED: Apples - 1 Idaho; Lemons - 4 Calif; Sweet Potatoes - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified, 1 Texas. Total Diversions 8.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 3 Colo, 1 Idaho, 1 Minn, 1 Nebr, 1 Utah; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Beans, Snap - 1 Calif; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Washington; Oranges - 2 Calif, 2 Texas. Total Unloaded 22.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 5 Colo, 5 Idaho, 2 Nebr, 1 Maine, 2 N.D.; Celery - 2 Fla; Lemons - 2 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Oranges - 2 Ariz; Tomatoes - 1 Texas. Total On Track 23.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 2.

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY, Calif. Mild, clear. Demand slow, market weak. Sales f.o.b. shipping point basis: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen \$2.25-2.50; most straight 4 doz and practically straight 4s \$2.50; dry pack, 4 doz \$2.25-2.50; 5 doz \$2.00-2.25. YUMA DIST, Ariz. Iced pack, 4-5 doz mostly \$2.25; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 8°, Max 42°, cloudy. Moderate wire inquiry, demand fair, market about steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, No 1s size "A", unwashed and washed \$2.61-2.69.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Clear, 15°. Moderate wire inquiry, demand moderate, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", 2-inch minimum, dark red \$2.69; pale color \$2.64.

LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s and US Commercial, washed, size "A" \$2.15-2.25; size "B" \$2.10-2.15.

FT. MYERS, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", brushed and US No 1s size "B", brushed \$2.35.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand fair for large stock, demand slow for small stock; market about steady. Some shipments consigned. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 1-in cts, Golden Heart, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled 3-4 doz \$2.25; 6 doz \$3.15-3.25; 8 doz \$2.90-3.00; 10 doz \$2.50; XX's few \$2.00; precooling 10¢ extra.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; fair quality \$4.75; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; fair quality \$4.25; 7 x 7s \$4.00; fair quality \$3.50.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand good, market steady. Sales to local buyers: Bushel hampers, Bountifuls, fair quality \$2.65-2.85; Stringless Black Valentines \$4.15-5.00; Plentifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.10-2.75; Tendergreens \$3.50; fair quality \$3.25; Wax, flat type \$3.50.

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LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Practically no supplies.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.45.  
 BANANAS: Mex. per cwt. \$6.75; Central American \$9.00.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers Valentines \$5.75-6.00; Tendergreens \$5.50; Wax \$5.00.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢; L.A. crts 4 doz \$3.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Ponly crts, 24s \$3.50; per doz bnch, large \$3.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.50-1.95; Tex bulk per cwt \$2.50-3.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped Tex bu bskts & sacks \$2.25; N. Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-3.00; Calif 30-40 crts, 11-12s \$2.25; few \$3.00.  
 CELERY: Golden Heart, Calif 22-in 1/2 crts, 2-3 doz \$6.50; 16-in wirebound crts 21-3 doz \$5.50; Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.75-6.00; Calif Pascal, 16-in crts, trimmed tops, 2-3 doz \$4.50-5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40-2.50.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hot-house, Ind. boxes, 1 doz, Fcy size \$3.25.  
 EGGPLANT: Fla 11-bu crts, 48s \$6.50-7.00.  
 ENDIVE: Tex L.A. crts, 5 doz \$4.50.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mex 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Finks \$3.00-3.75; Ruby Red Std. box 46-96s \$4.00.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 360-588s \$6.75-7.00; fair qlty \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts; Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.90-5.15, few 6 doz \$5.15.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.75.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000; \$5.00-5.50.  
 ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75, Red \$6.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 112-252s \$3.50-4.38; 288-524s \$3.00-3.75; 360s \$2.00; Valencias, 150-344s \$4.00-4.35; Temples, boxes, all sizes \$4.25-5.00; bu bskts, 252-324s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Navels boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.50; 200-220s \$4.50-5.50; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-5.00; 324s \$3.00-4.00; 344-392s \$2.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmpers & bu bskts \$3.75-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla. Calif Wonders, 1½ bu crts, Fcy \$10.00; bu bskts, Cheice \$5.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.84; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00, few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites, US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Tex Triumphs Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 100's \$3.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx. 45-15 \$3.25-3.50.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed & waxed 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers & bskts \$1.50-1.75.  
 SQUASH: Tex bu bskts, Acorn \$3.25; Fla. Summer, bu hmpers, White \$7.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bskts, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green; ripe and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s & lgr \$4.50-5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00; re-packed, 6 x 6s & lgr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75; Tex, few ord to fair qlty & cond \$2.00-2.50.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$5.75.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.50; Topped, Tex bu bskts & bu sacks \$1.00-1.50; few \$2.00.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot Grapes Cfruit

Thur Feb 3	701	200	14	305	74	85	177	142	12	5	95
Thur Jan 27	688	136	34	342	80	53	179	144	25	17	97

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

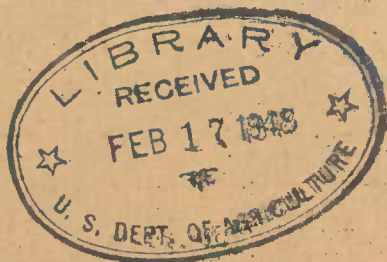
POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate; for gest stock Idaho Russets and Colo McClures demand moderate; for Northern stock demand very slow, market dull and weak. On track 197; arrived 5 Colo, 21 Ida, 4 Minn, 2 Nebr, 13 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 13 Wis; diverted 51. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.37-3.50; unwashed, few sales \$3.30-3.37; Idaho Utility grade, washed and unwashed \$2.30-2.40; Idaho washed and unwashed, Idaho Standard grade, few sales \$2.85-2.90; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.47; Nebr Bliss Triumphs 1 car, generally good quality, washed \$3.30; Minn 7 N Dak Red River Valley Bliss Triumphs, 85% US No 1 quality, unwashed, US Commercial, very few sales \$2.00-2.10; Wis Round Whites, US Commercial, unwashed \$2.15. New stock: Supplies very light, demand good, market slightly stronger. On track 1; arrived 1 Fla. Street: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.85-2.90; US No 1s size "B", washed, fair condition \$2.50; US 1s size "B", washed, bu crts, few \$3.10.

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Fri., Feb. 4, 1944

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CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 3.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

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POTATOES: Calif 12, Colo 47, Conn 3, Fla 23, Ida 238 com'l, 1 manf, Ind 8, Maine 273 com'l, 15 Govt purchases, 3 manf, Mass 1 Govt purchases, Mich 23, Minn 51 com'l, 5 Govt purchases, Mont 8, Nebr 41, N H 2, 1 Govt purchase, Long Island 23, N Y 17, N Dak 89 com'l, 4 Govt purchases, Oreg 14 com'l, 3 manf, Pa 2, S Dak 10, Utah 6, Wash 5, Wis 16, Wyo 9, total US 922 com'l, 26 Govt purchases, 7 manf; origin not specified 7; unreported 1st Colo 28, Oreg 1, total 29. APPLES: Md 3, N Y 10, Oreg 11, Pa 2, Va 17 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, Wash 142 com'l, 2 manf, N Va 7, total US 194 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, 2 manf. CABBAGE: Ariz 5, Calif 16, Fla 42, N Y 4, Tex 75, total US 144; unreported 1st Ariz 1. CARROTS: Bunched-Ariz 16, Calif 16, Tex 14, total US 46; unreported 1st Ariz 7. Topped- N Y 4, Oreg 1 manf, Tex 1, total US 6 com'l, 1 manf. CELERY: Calif 17, Fla 77, total US 94. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 8, Calif 1, Fla 52, Tex 102, total US 163. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 52, Phoenix Dist 1, Calif 250, Fla 4, Tex 3, total US 310. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 10, Fla 77 frt, 19 exp, Tex 9 frt, 3 exp, total US 96 frt, 22 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 32, Calif 17, Colo 2, Fla 66 frt, 5 exp, Ga 4, La 2, Minn 7, Tex 105, Va 2, total US 240 frt, 5 exp; origin not specified 1. ONIONS: Colo 16, Ida 3, Mich 7, Minn 4, N Y 17, Oreg 7, Wis 2, total US 57. ORANGES: Ariz 2, Calif 137, Fla 252, Tex 17, total US 408. SPINACH: Tex 78 frt, 3 exp, 14 manf, total US 78 frt, 3 exp, 14 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, Ga 1, La 8, N Jer 2, N C 1, Tenn 1, Tex 6, total US 20; unreported 2nd N Jer 2. TOMATOES: Fla 27, total US 27. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 19; Beets Tex 10, total US 10 com'l, 1 manf; Broccoli Tex 7, total US 29; unreported 1st US 3; Cauliflower Tex 3, total US 51; unreported 1st Ariz 10; Escarole US 10; grapes US 1; greens US 5 including 2 Texas; Lemons US 41 com'l, 5 manf; Pears US 3; Green Peas US 3; origin not specified 6; Peppers US 10; origin not specified 2; Tangerines US 18; Turnips and Rutabagas, origin not specified 12. \*Add Tomatoes- origin not specified 21.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 4.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Minn, 1 Tex; Bananas - 5 Origin not specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 5 Calif; Spinach - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified. Total Arrivals 21.

DIVERTED: Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Oranges - 1 Tex. Total Diverted 2.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 N Dak; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified. Celery - 1 Calif; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified. Total Unloads 11.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Minn, 1 Tex; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 6 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex; Spinach - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 4 Origin not Specified. Total Track 24.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 3.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Ida, 1 Colo, 3 Nebr, 1 Wyo; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Ariz; Celery - 1 Fla; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 7 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 2 Tex; Dates - 1 Calif. Total Arrivals 23.

DIVERTED: Oranges - 1 Ariz. Total Diverted 1.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 2 Ida, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash; Cauliflower - 1 Ariz; Lettuce - 4 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Texas. Total Unloads 15.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 4 Colo, 4 Ida, 1 Maine, 1 N Dak, 5 Nebr, 1 Wyo; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Celery - 3 Fla; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 3 Calif; Oranges - 1 Ariz, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Tex; Dates - 1 Calif. Total Track 30.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 3.

LETTUCE: BRAWLEY, Calif. IMPERIAL VALLEY. Cloudy, mild. Demand fairly good at slightly lower prices, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen \$2.00-2.25; Yuma Dist mostly \$2.00; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 11°, Max 38°, cloudy. Moderate wire inquiry, demand slow, market rather dull. Delivered sales shipping point basis; 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed and few washed \$2.61-2.69; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A" per cwt few \$3.09.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Clear, 15° below zero. Moderate wire inquiry, demand moderate, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClure's, US No 1s size "A", 2-inch minimum \$2.69.

LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s and US Commercial, washed, size "A" \$2.15-2.25; size "B" \$2.10-2.15.

FT. MYERS, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", brushed, & US No 1s size "B", brushed \$2.35.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; fair quality \$4.75; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; fair quality \$4.25; 7 x 7s \$4.00; fair quality \$3.50.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand slow, market weaker. Many shipments rolled unsold. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 3-6 doz \$2.75-3.00; 8 doz \$2.65-2.75; 10 doz \$2.40-2.50, few lower; XX's \$1.85-2.00; precooling 10¢ extra.

LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION. Haulings moderate, demand slow, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, 16-inch, trimmed tops, 3-6 doz \$2.65-2.75, few \$2.85-3.00; 8 doz \$2.25-2.75, mostly \$2.50-2.60; 10 dz \$2.25-2.50, mostly \$2.35; XX's - no sales reported.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Mild, clear. Haulings moderate, demand good, market steady. Sales to local buyers: Bushel hampers, Bountifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.10; ordinary quality \$2.00, poorer \$1.55-1.75; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.50; Plentifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.25-2.75, poorer \$2.00; Tendergreens \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; Wax, flat type \$3.50; poorer \$2.50.

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LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Practically no supplies.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.45.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$5.50-6.75; Central American \$9.00; cut off, per 40-lb crt \$3.95.  
 BEANS SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens \$6.00-6.25, fair cond. \$5.50; Wax \$5.00.  
 BEETS: Tex, per doz bnch 85-90¢; L.A. crts 4 doz \$3.50; Topped, per bu bsht or sack \$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50; per doz bnch, large \$3.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.50, few high as \$1.95; Tex bulk per cwt \$2.50-3.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped Tex bu bsht & sacs \$2.25; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-2.75; fair qty and cond \$2.00-2.25; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25, few \$3.00.  
 CELERY: Golden Heart, Calif 22-in 1/2 crts, 2-3 doz \$5.50; 15-in wirebound crts 2-3 doz \$5.50; Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.75-6.00; Calif Pascal, 16-in crts, trimmed tops, 2-3 doz \$4.50-5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40-2.50.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢.  
 CUCUMBERS: Fla bu bshts, Fcy \$8.00; Hot-house, Ind. boxes, 1 doz, Fcy size \$3.25.  
 EGGPLANT: Fla 1 1/2 bu crts, Fcy, 43s \$6.50.  
 ENDIVE: Tex L.A. crts, 5 doz \$4.50.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mex 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks \$3.00-3.75; Ruby Red Std. box 46-96s \$4.00.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 360-588s \$6.75-7.00; fair qty \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.90-5.15; 6 doz \$4.75-5.15; Yuma 5 doz, dry pack \$5.00.  
 LINES: Mexico, 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.75.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 5,000 \$5.00-5.50.  
 ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, white \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75, Red \$6.00.

ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 112-252s \$3.50-4.34; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; 360s \$2.00; Valencias, 150-344s \$4.00-4.35; Temples, bu bshts, 252-324s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Navel boxes 80-220s \$4.75-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 324s \$3.00-4.00; 344-392s \$2.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmprs & bu bshts \$3.75-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla. Calif Wonders, 1 1/2 bu crts, Fcy \$10.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb. 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.84; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00, few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites, US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 100's \$3.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx. 45-lb \$3.25-3.50.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed & waxed 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs & bshts \$1.50-1.75.  
 SQUASH: Tex bu bshts, Acorn \$3.25; Fla. Summer, bu hmprs, white \$7.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$4.00-4.50; fair qty \$3.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bshts, good qty \$2.75-3.00; ord qty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s & 1gr \$4.50-5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & 1gr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75; Tex, few ord to fair qty & cond \$2.00-2.50.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.75.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.50; Topped, Tex bu bshts, & bu sacks \$1.00-1.50; few \$2.00.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs. Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot Gfruit

Fri Feb 4	653	188	21	261	60	77	166	134	16	80
Fri Jan 28	715	138	23	290	60	37	164	125	26	69

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

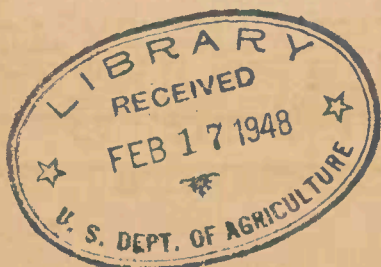
POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Clear, 28°. Old stock: Supplies moderate; for best Idaho Russets and Colo Red McClures demand moderate, market about steady; for Northern stock demand very slow, market weak. On track 156; arrived 10 Colo, 20 Idaho, 1 Mich, 6 Minn, 19 N Dak, 1 S Dak, 1 Wyo, 5 Wis; diverted 41. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, few sales \$3.25-3.55; Idaho Utility grade, washed, few sales \$2.35-2.40; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.42; Wyo Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial, washed \$3.25; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 1 car 85¢ US No 1 quality, unwashed \$2.25; 1 car fair quality, unwashed \$1.95; Cobblers, 1 car unclassified, unwashed \$1.85; Wis Round Whites, 1 car US Commercial, unwashed \$2.00. New stock: Supplies very light, demand moderate, market firm. Ontrack none, arrived none. Street sales: Fla. 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.90; US No 1s size "B", washed, fair condition \$2.50; bushel crates, Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "B", washed, few \$3.10.

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CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR FRIDAY, Feb. 4.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

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POTATOES: Calif 23, Colo 59, Conn 9, Fla 25, Ida 193, Maine 296 com'l 4 Govt purchases, 8 manf, Mass 2, Mich 12, Minn 73 com'l, 13 Govt purchases, Mont 6, Nebr 50, Long Island 24, N Y 10, N Dak 94 com'l, 4 Govt purchases, Oreg 22, S Dak 4, Utah 4, Wash 12, Wis 12, Wyo 12, total US 944 com'l, 21 Govt purchases, 8 manf; origin not specified 1; unreported 3rd Ind 4, N Y 1, total 5; the 29th Ida 3; deduct from 31st Ida 3. APPLES: Calif 4, Mass 3, N Y 13, Oreg 15, Pa 2, Va 23 com'l, 3 Govt purchases, Wash 116, W Va 4, total US 185 com'l, 3 Govt purchases. CABBAGE: Ariz 2, Calif 12, Fla 59, Tex 53, total US 127. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 7, Calif 13, Tex 13, total US 33; unreported 3rd Calif 2. Topped- Ariz 1, N Y 1 com'l, 2 manf, Oreg 2 com'l, 1 manf, Tex 2, total US 6 com'l, 3 manf. CELERY: Calif 14, Fla 64, total US 78; unreported 3rd Calif 4. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 2, Fla 52, Tex 126, total US 180; deduct from 3rd Ariz 1. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 63, Phoenix Dist 1, Calif 244, Fla 8, Tex 3, total US 319. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 3, Fla 84 frt, 20 exp, Tex 13 frt, 2 exp, total US 100 frt, 22 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 27, Calif 29, Fla 66 frt, 5 exp, Ga 2, Minn 7, Tex 135, Va 2, total US 271 frt, 6 exp; unreported 3rd Calif 17, Tex 2, total 19. ONIONS: Calif 1, Colo 10, Ida 2, Mich 7 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, Minn 5, N Y 10, Ohio 2, Oreg 10, Wis 2, total US 51 com'l, 1 Govt purchase; unreported 3rd Colo 1, N Y 1, total 2. ORANGES: Ariz 7, Calif 158, Fla 262, Tex 15, total US 442; deduct from 3rd Ariz 1. SPINACH: Tex 85 com'l, 20 manf, total US 95 com'l, 20 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, La 11, N C 1, S C 1, Tenn 5, Tex 6, total US 25; deduct from 3rd N C 1. TOMATOES: Calif 1, Fla 24, total US 25; origin not specified 6. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 22; Beets Tex 6, total US 9 com'l, 1 manf; Broccoli Tex 5, total US 24; Cauliflower Tex 1, total US 63 unreported 3rd US 15; Escarole US 11; Greens Tex 2, total US 18; unreported 3rd US 5; Lemons US 32 com'l, 1 manf; unreported 3rd US 2; Pears US 2; Green Peas US 1; Peppers US 10; Tangerines US 28; Turnips and Rutabagas Tex 1, total US 5; origin not specified 18.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SATURDAY, Feb. 5.

POTATOES: Calif 22, Colo 57, Conn 5, Fla 6, Ida 24 com'l, 1 manf, Ind 3, Iowa 2, Maine 291 com'l, 5 Govt purchases, 7 manf, Mich 22, Minn 66 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Mont 5, Nebr 45, Long Island 23, N Y 15, N Dak 101, Oreg 14 com'l, 2 manf, S Dak 4, Utah 8, Wash 9, Wis 13, Wyo 2, total US 962 com'l, 6 Govt purchases, 10 manf; origin not specified 6. APPLES: Mich 2, N Y 9, Oreg 8, Pa 4, Va 13, Wash 108 com'l, 2 manf, W Va 6, total US 152 com'l, 2 manf. CABBAGE: Ariz 2, Calif 10, Fla 32, N Y 4, Tex 54, total US 102. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 10, Calif 9, Tex 7, total US 26. Topped- Ill 1, N Y 3 frt, 1 manf, Oreg 2 manf, Tex 1, Wash 2, total US 7 com'l, 3 manf. CELERY: Calif 22, Fla 21, total US 43; unreported 4th Fla 1. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 6, Calif 1, Fla 26, Tex 114, total US 149. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 49, Calif 211, Tex 3, total US 263. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 1, Calif 4, Fla 86 frt, 20 exp, Tex 22 frt, 3 exp, total US 113 frt, 23 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 21, Calif 34, Colo 3, Fla 52 frt, 6 exp, Ga 2, Minn 7, Tex 100, total US 203 frt, 6 exp; origin not specified 2. ONIONS: Colo 20, Ida 2, Mich 3, Minn 3, N Y 20, Oreg 6, total US 57 com'l, 1 Govt purchase. ORANGES: Ariz 4, Calif 135, Fla 186, Tex 8, total US 334. SPINACH: Tex 58 frt, 6 exp, 12 manf, total US 58 frt, 6 exp, 12 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, Ga 1, La 17, N Jer 3, N C 1 frt, 1 exp, Tenn 3, Tex 3, total US 29 frt, 1 exp. TOMATOES: Fla 19, total US 19; origin not specified 58. MISCELLANEOUS: SNAP BEANS & LIMAS US 30; Beets Tex 2, total US 2; Broccoli Tex 3, total US 19; Cauliflower Tex 2, total US 65; Escarole US 4; Grapes US 1; Greens US 11; Lemons US 15 com'l, 2 manf; Pears US 2; Green Peas US 4; origin not specified 3; Peppers US 1; origin not specified 2; Strawberries US 1 exp; Tangerines US 8; Turnips & Rutabagas US 3; origin not specified 24.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SUNDAY, Feb. 6.

POTATOES: Calif 11, Colo 2, Ida 2, Mich 2, Nebr 13, Oreg 10, Wyo 6, total US 49. APPLES: Mo 1, Wash 2, total US 3. CABBAGE: Calif 1, Fla 3, Tex 10, total US 14. CARROTS: Bunched- Calif 1, total US 1. CELERY: Calif 3, Fla 10, total US 13. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 2, total US 2. LETTUCE: Calif 13, total US 13. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 1, Fla 2 frt, 15 exp, total US 3 frt, 15 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 3, Calif 2, Fla 1 frt, 5 exp, Tex 11, total US 17 frt, 5 exp. ONIONS: Colo 1, Mich 1, total US 2. ORANGES: Calif 11, Fla 6, total US 17. SPINACH: Tex 2, 5 manf; total US 2 com'l, 5 manf. SWEET POTATOES: La 1, total US 1. TOMATOES: Fla 6, total US 6; orig. not spec. 11. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 11; Cauliflower US 10; Lemons US 5; Turnips & Rutabagas US 3; origin not specified 5.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 72 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 7.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 4 Colo, 4 Ida, 1 Utah, 1 Nebr; Bananas - 12 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 14 Calif, 1 Ariz, 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla, 1 Tex; Onions - 1 Ill; Oranges - 4 Tex, 2 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 Tex; Sweet Potatoes - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Tex; Peanuts - 2 Tex. Total Arrivals 56.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Colo; Bananas - 6 Orig. not specified; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 3 Calif. Total Diverted 11.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Ida, 4 Colo, 1 Tex, 1 Minn; Bananas - 4 Origin not spec; Caulif - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif; Gfruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Oranges - 2 Calif, 2 Tex; Rutabagas - 1 Tex; Spinach - 1 Tex; Sweet Potatoes - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Tex, 4 Orig not spec; Peanuts - 2 Tex. Total 37.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 2 Ida, 1 Utah, 1 Nebr; Bananas - 4 Orig not spec. Cabbage - 1 Tex; Gfruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 12 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Vegetable - 1 Fla; Onions - 1 Ill; Oranges - 1 Calif, 5 Tex. Total Track 32.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 5.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 8 Ida, 7 Nebr, 1 N Dak, 1 Minn, 7 Colo; Apples - 4 Wash, 1 Oreg, 1 Calif; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif; Gfruit - 2 Tex; Lemons - 6 Calif; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Tex, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 2 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Oranges - 8 Calif, 6 Tex; Rutabagas - 2 Minn, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Tex. Total Arrivals 69.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 1 N Dak, 2 Nebr, 1 Wyo; Lemons - 6 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 4 Calif, 1 Ariz. Total Diverted 17.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 7 Ida, 5 Nebr, 1 Minn, 5 Colo, 1 N Dak, 1 Me; Apples - 3 Wash, 1 Oreg, 1 Calif; Caulif - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif, 3 Fla; Gfruit - 2 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Tex, 5 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Oranges - 6 Tex, 2 Calif; Rutabagas - 2 Minn, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 2 Tex. Total Unloads 59.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 5 Ida, 5 Nebr, 5 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 1 Orig. not specified; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Tex; Dates - 1 Calif. Total Track 26.

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LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash Boxes, Delicious, Fcy \$4.14.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.25.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30; Central American \$9.00; cut off, per 40-lb crt \$3.95.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens \$6.00; ord. cond. Tendergreens, Valentines and Wax \$3.50.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢; L.A. crts 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50; per doz bnch, large \$3.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.50-1.75; Tex bulk per cwt \$2.50-3.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sacks \$2.25; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-2.75; fair qty & cond \$2.00-2.25; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25, few \$2.75-3.00.  
 CELERY: Golden Heart, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.75-6.00. Pascal, Fla 16-in crts, trimmed tops, 2-4 doz \$5.00; Calif 22 in 1/2 crts, 2-3 doz \$4.50.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.50.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢.  
 CUCUMBERS: Fla bu bskts, Fcy \$9.00; Hot-house, Ind. boxes, 1 doz, Fcy size \$3.25.  
 EGGPLANT: Practically no supplies.  
 ENDIVE: Practically no supplies.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mex 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks \$3.00-3.50; Ruby Red Std. box 46-96s \$4.00.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 360-588s \$6.75-7.00; fair qty \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.50-5.15; 6 doz \$4.75; Yuma 5 doz, dry pack \$4.75.  
 LINES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: No. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$5.00-5.50.  
 ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, white \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.

ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 176-252s \$3.75-4.38; 288's \$3.50; Valencias 150-252s \$4.00-4.38; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; Temples, bu bskts, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navel, boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.25; 200-220s \$4.50-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 344-392s \$5.00-5.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmprs & bu bskts \$3.75-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla. Calif Wonders, 1 1/2 bu crts, Fcy \$10.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00, few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx. 45-15 \$3.25-3.50.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.  
 SPINACH: Texas bu hmprs and bskts \$1.50-1.75.  
 SQUASH: Fla. Summer, bu hmprs, White \$7.00; Yellow \$10.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts US No 1s \$4.00-4.50; fair qty \$3.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bskts, good qty \$2.75-3.00; ord. qty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s and larger \$4.50; 6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & lgr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bskts, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

	Pots.	Lett.	Onions	Orgs	Toms	Apples	Cel.	Cab.	Sweet Pot.	Gfruit
Mon. Feb. 7	833	269	46	321	60	129	199	196	21	100
Mon Jan. 31	997	191	35	377	66	81	201	125	25	111

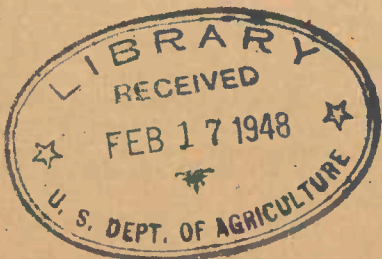
REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate; for best Western stock demand moderate, market steady; for Northern stock demand very slow, market weak. On track 229; arrived 23 Colo, 56 Idaho, 3 Mich, 19 Minn, 5 Nebr, 32 N Dak, 1 Ohio, 17 Wis, 1 Wyo; diverted 42. Track sales, carlots outweight and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, very few sales \$3.40-3.45; unwashed, very few sales \$3.30-3.45; Idaho Standard grade, washed, 1 car \$2.90; 1 car unwashed \$2.85; Idaho Utility grade washed and unwashed, few sales \$2.25-2.40; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, few sales \$3.45-3.47; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.49; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Cobblers, 1 car US Commercial, unwashed \$2.10; Bliss Triumphs- no sales reported; Wis Chippewas, US No 1s size "A", unwashed few sales \$2.20-2.30; Cobblers, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, 1 car \$2.25. New stock: Supplies very light, demand moderate, market slightly stronger. On track 2; Arrived 2 Fla. Street sales: Fla. bushel baskets, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.25.  
 Mon., Feb. 7, 1944.  
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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN-Vol.XXX, No. 26

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 7.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 23, Colo 43, Conn 7, Fla 21, Idaho 232 frt, 2 mfr, Ind 4, Maine 227 frt, 4 Government Purchases, 2 mfr, Mich 17, Minn 69 frt, 4 Government Purchases, Mont 7, Nebr 34, N.H. 1 Government Purchase, Long Island 20, N.Y. 14, N.D. 86, Oregon 15 frt, 1 mfr, Pa 3, S.D. 9, Utah 2, Wash 12 frt, 1 mfr, Wis 12, Wyo 10, total US 868 frt, 9 Government Purchases, 6 mfr; origin not specified 6; unreported 6th Utah 1; unreported 5th Fla 5, Idaho 4, Ore 1, Utah 2, total US 12; deduct 5th N.Y. 1. Total to date this season old US 213,838; this season new US 830, including 367 Government Purchases; last season old US 160,228; new US 581. APPLES: Calif 3, Ill 3, N.Y. 14, Oregon 11, Va 10, Wash 108 frt, 1 mfr, W. Va 2, total US 153 frt, 1 mfr; this season US 26,061, including 13 Government Purchases; last season US 35,674. BEANS, SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 11, total US 11; this season US 3,423; last season US 3,078. BEETS: Texas 10, total US 11; this season old US 1,661, including 2 Government Purchases; new US 292; last season old US 1,179; new US 180. CABBAGE: Ariz 2, Calif 7, Fla 44, N.Y. 3, Texas 37, total US 93; unreported 5th Fla 5; this season old US 22,396, including 5 Government Purchases; new US 3,273; last season old US 24,575; new US 3,110. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 6, Calif 5, Texas 9 frt, 1 mfr, total US 20 frt, 1 mfr; this season old US 24,339, including 43 Government Purchases; new US 4,218; last season old US 19,327; new US 4,667. Topped- N.Y. 5, Utah 3, total US 8; unreported 5th N.Y. 1. CELERY: Calif 15, Fla 45, total US 60; unreported 5th Fla 3; deduct 4th Fla 1; this season US 7,902; last season US 6,963. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 4, Fla 51, Texas 72, total US 128; unreported 5th Fla 12; this season US 14,163, including 6 Government Purchases; last season US 14,286. LETTUCE: Ariz 37, Calif 202, Fla 4, Texas 2, total US 245; unreported 5th Fla 5; this season US 21,115; last season US 18,390. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 4, Fla 54 frt, 6 exp, Texas 11 frt, 3 exp, total US 71 frt, 9 exp; unreported 5th Fla 19; this season US 12,429; last season US 10,018. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 9, Calif 25, Colo 3, Fla 35 frt, 1 exp, La 2, Minn 6, Texas 104 frt, 4 exp, Va 2, total US 188 frt, 5 exp; origin not specified 1; unreported 5th Fla 5; this season US 7,719; last season US 5,027. ONIONS: Colo 13, Idaho 3, Mich 3, N.Y. 3, Ore 3, total US 27; unreported 6th Ill 1; this season US 22,545, including 69 Government Purchases; last season US 29,501. ORANGES: Ariz 2, Calif 141, Fla 179, Texas 8, total US 330; unreported 6th Fla 1; unreported 5th Fla 57; this season US 36,030; last season US 28,184. SPLICHO: Texas 52 frt, 5 exp, 10 mfr, total US 55 frt, 5 exp, 10 mfr; this season US 2,979; last season US 2,327. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 2, La 5, N.J. 3, Tenn 2, Texas 3, total US 17; this season US 6,970; last season US 7,156. TOMATOES: Fla 4, total US 5; origin not specified 20; unreported 5th origin not specified 1; this season US 1,572; last season US 1,519. MISCELLANEOUS: Broccoli Texas 2, total US 21, unreported 6th Calif 1, unreported 5th Calif 1; Cauliflower total US 51, unreported 5th Calif 4, Fla 1, total US 5; Escarole total US 5, unreported 5th Fla 2; Greens total US 6; Lemons total US 31 frt, 5 mfr; Pears total US 12; Peas, Green origin not specified 10; Peppers total US 4; Strawberries total US 1 exp; Tangerines total US 7, unreported 5th Fla 4; Turnips and Rutabagas total US 1, origin not specified 17.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 8.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Idaho, 2 Minn; Apples - 2 Washington; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 6 Calif, 2 Ariz; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total Arrived 19.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Nebr; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Lettuce - 2 Calif. Total Diverted 4.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 3 Colo, 1 Idaho, 1 Utah; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla; Onions - 1 Ill; Oranges - 2 Texas. Total Unloaded 19.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 2 Minn; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Grapefruit - 2 Texas; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 12 Calif, 3 Ariz; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 2 Texas, 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total On Track 28.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 7.

ARRIVED: Potatoes 8 Colo, 2 Nebr, 2 Idaho, 2 Minn; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 3 origin not specified; Cabbage - 2 Texas; Cauliflower - 1 Texas, 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 4 Texas; Lemons - 5 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Ariz, 3 Calif; Onions - 2 Colo; Oranges - 3 Texas, 6 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 Minn, 1 Texas. Total Arrived 51.

DIVERTED: Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 3 Calif. Total Diverted 7.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Nebr, 9 Colo, 2 Minn; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 4 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Cauliflower - 1 Texas, 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 3 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 2 Ariz; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 3 Texas, 4 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 Texas; Dates - 1 Calif. Total Unloaded 38.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 4 Colo, 7 Idaho, 5 Nebr, 1 N.D.; Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif, 2 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 1 Texas, 1 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 Minn. Total On Track 33.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 7.

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY & YUMA. Clear, warm, morning fog, light to fairly heavy rains throughout valley Sunday night, .26 inch. YUMA: Demand very active, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen mostly \$2.25; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 25°, Max 39°, cloudy. Light wire inquiry, offerings fairly liberal; for US No 1s demand fair, market about steady; for US No 2s demand slow, market slightly weaker. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and unwashed mostly \$2.60-2.65, few \$2.69; US No 2s \$1.49-1.60; few cars mixed grades higher.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Light wire inquiry, demand light, market dull. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Few sales, sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", 2-inch minimum \$2.64-2.69.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Clear, mild. Haulings moderate, demand good, market steady. Sale to local buyers: Bu. hampers, Bountifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$2.25-2.50; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.50; ordinary quality \$2.00; Plentifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.25-2.50, poorer \$1.75; Tender-greens \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00; ordinary quality \$2.50; Wax, flat type \$3.50, poorer \$2.50-3.00.

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## LOCAL FRUIT &amp; VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash Boxes, Delicious, Fcy \$4.14.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif. 24-35s \$3.00-3.25.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$5.75; fair qlty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30; Central American \$9.00; cut off, per 40-lb crt \$3.95.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens \$6.00; ord. cond. Tendergreens, Valentines and Eax \$2.50-3.50.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crts 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00.  
 CABBAGE: Nev, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.50-1.75; Tex bulk per cwt \$2.50-3.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sacks \$2.25; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50; ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25, fcy \$2.75-3.00.  
 CELERY: Golden Heart, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz mostly \$5.75-6.00, some \$5.25; Pascal, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.00; Calif 22-in 1/2 crts, 24 3/4 doz \$4.50.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢.  
 CUCUMBERS: Fla bu bsks, Fcy \$9.00; Hot-house, Ind. boxes, 1 doz, Fcy size \$3.25.  
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 LEMONS: Calif boxes 360-588s \$6.75-7.00; fair qlty \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.50-5.15; 3 doz \$4.75; Yuna 5 doz, dry pack \$4.75.  
 LINES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSHARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 2 doz \$3.50.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 85-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$5.00-5.50.  
 ONION SETS: Ill. 52-lb sacks, White \$5.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 176-252s \$3.75-4.38; 218's \$3.50; Valentines 150-252s \$4.00-4.38; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.25; 200-220s \$4.50-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 344-392s \$3.00-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmprs & bu bsks \$3.75-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla. Calif Wonders, 1 1/2 bu crts, Fcy \$10.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00, few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx. 45-lb \$3.25-3.50.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.  
 SPINACH: Texas bu hmprs and bsks \$1.25-1.50, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla. Summer, bu hmprs, White \$7.00; Yellow \$10.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts US No 1s \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s and larger \$4.50; 6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & 1gr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75.  
 TURNIP-GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.  
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## COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

	Pots.	Lett.	Onions	Orgs	Toms	Apples	Cal.	Cal.	Sweet Pot.	Gfruit
Tue. Feb. 8	769	296	43	304	45	124	185	200	13	113
Tue. Feb. 1	950	191	32	363	89	83	212	137	24	110

## REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate; for best. Western stock demand fair, market steady; for Northern stock demand very slow, market weak and unsettled. On track 297; arrived 11 Colo, 35 Ida, 5 Mich, 13 Minn, 1 Mont 4 Nebr, 9 W Dak, 1 Oreg, 6 Wis, 2 Wyo; diverted 80. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and unwashed, very few sales \$3.25-3.45; Idaho Standard grade, unwashed, 1 car \$2.80; Idaho Utility grade, washed and unwashed, few sales \$2.15-2.40; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.47; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", 1 car jobbed \$3.49; US Commercial, washed, 1 car \$3.10; Minn and W Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial size "A", unwashed \$2.00; unclassified, unwashed \$1.75; Cobblers- no sales reported; Wis Chipewas, 1 car good quality, unwashed \$2.30; US Commercial, washed, few sales \$2.05. New stock: Supplies very light, demand moderate, market firm. On track 1; arrived 3 Fla. Street sales: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00.

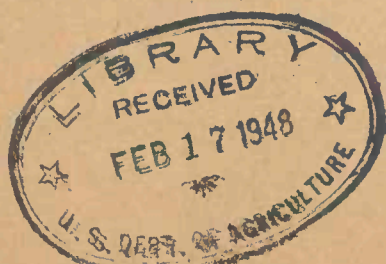
FORT WORTH: Old stock: Market steady. On track 4; arrived 2 Colo, 1 Idaho, 2 Minn. Carlot sales delivered Fort Worth basis: Late Mon, Idaho 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", 1 car washed \$3.44; Colo 100-lb sacks Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", 1 car washed \$3.25.

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POTATOES: Calif 20, Colo 47, Conn 2, Fla 16, Ida 296 com'l, 11 manf, Ind 3, Maine 261 com'l, 14 Govt purchases, 4 manf, Mich 19, Minn 95 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, Mont 6, Nebr 38, N H 2 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, Long Island 25, N Y 5, N Dak 96 com'l, 10 Govt purchases, Oreg 19 com'l, 1 manf, Pa 3, S Dak 11, Utah 5, Wash 10 com'l, 1 manf, Wis 6, Wyo 4, total US 991 com'l, 26 Govt purchases, 17 manf; origin not specified 1; unreported 7th Colo 2, Ida 2, Ind 1, total 5. APPLES: Calif 2, Mich 2, N Y 9, Oreg 10, Pa 7, Va 18 com'l, 2 Govt purchases, Wash 126 com'l, 3 manf, W Va 2, total US 177 com'l, 2 Govt purchases, 3 manf; unreported 5th Va 1 Govt purchases; the 3rd Va 3 Govt purchases; deduct from 4th Va 2 Govt pur. CABBAGE: Ala 1, Ariz 3, Calif 19, Fla 64, La 1, N Y 1, Tex 60, total US 149. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 7, Calif 9, Tex 23, total US 39. Topped- N Y 4 com'l, 1 manf, Oreg 1, Tex 1, Wash 1, total US 7 com'l, 1 manf. CELERY: Calif 21, Fla 64, total US 85. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 5, Calif 8, Fla 51 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, Tex 106, total US 170 com'l, 1 Govt purchases. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 72, Phoenix Dist 2, Calif 273, Fla 3, Tex 3, total US 353. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 7, Fla 70 frt, 17 exp, Tex 16 frt, 3 exp, total US 93 com'l frt, 20 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 21, Calif 33, Colo 5, Fla 55 frt, 5 exp, Ga 1, Kans 1, La 2, Minn 2, N Y 1, Tex 121, total US 244 frt, 5 exp. ONIONS: Colo 17, Ida 6, Mich 13, N Y 19, Oreg 12, total US 68; unreported 7th Mich 1; the 5th Mich 2. ORANGES: Ariz 6, Calif 170, Fla 188, Tex 9, total US 373. SPINACH: Tex 79 frt, 1 exp, 7 manf, total US 79 frt, 1 exp, 7 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Ga 1, La 7, N C 1, S C 3, Tenn 3, Tex 2, total US 17. TOMATOES: Fla 12, total US 12; origin not specified 45. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans and Limas US 18; Beets Tex 9 com'l, 1 manf, total US 9 com'l, 2 manf; Broccoli Tex 3, total US 24; Cauliflower US 65; Escarole US 6; Greens Tex 2, total US 12; Lemons US 41 com'l, 2 manf; Pears US 7; Green Peas US 8; Peppers US 10; origin not specified 4; Tangerines US 7; Turnips & Rutabagas US 3; origin not specified 6; unreported 7th Orig. not spec. 8; the 5th Orig not spec. 3.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 9.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 N Dak; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Celery - 1 Fla; Lettuce - 2 Calif, 1 Ariz; Spinach - 1 Tex. Total Arrivals 11.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Minn; Lettuce - 6 Calif, 1 Ariz; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified. Total Diverted 9.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Ida, 1 Minn; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified; Lemons - 1 Calif. Total Unloads 6.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Ida, 2 Colo, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 2 Tex; Lettuce - 3 Ariz, 8 Calif; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 1 Calif, 2 Tex; Spinach - 1 Tex. Total Track 24.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 8.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Ida, 5 Colo, 2 Maine, 1 Wyo; Apples - 4 Wash; Bananas - 3 Orig. not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 9 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 3 Tex. Total Arrivals 37.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex. Total Diverted 11.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 3 Ida, 1 Nebr, 1 Maine; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce 7 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Tex; Rutabagas - 1 Minn. Total Unloads 23

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 5 Colo, 5 Ida, 4 Nebr, 1 Maine, 1 Wyo; Apples - 2 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Ariz, 5 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 3 Tex. Total Track 36.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, Feb. 8.

LETTUCE: BRANLEY, Calif. IMPERIAL VALLEY. Mild, partly cloudy, demand good esp. for heavy to 4 doz; market about steady, unsettled late undertone. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type 4-5 dozen mostly \$2.25; some late sales, 4-5 heavy to 5 doz \$2.00-2.15; top ice extra. YUMA DIST, Ariz. Heavy to 4 dozen mostly \$2.25, occasional higher; 4-5, heavy to 5 doz mostly \$2.00; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 30°, Max 37°, snow flurries. Light wire inquiry, offerings liberal, demand slow, market dull. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-15 sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and unwashed, few sales \$2.55-2.69.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Light wire inquiry, demand slow, market dull. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", 2-inch minimum, dark red, few sales \$2.69; pale color, few \$2.64.

FT. MEYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s and US Commercial brushed, size "A" and "B" \$2.50.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$4.00.

SNAP BEANS: POMPAHO SECTION, Fla. Clear, mild. Haulings moderate, demand good, market firm. Sales to local buyers: Bumpers, Bountifuls \$3.50; ordinary quality \$2.50; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.50; fair quality \$3.25; ordinary quality \$2.50; Plentifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.25-2.75, poorer \$1.75-1.90; Tendergreens \$3.50; fair quality \$3.25; Wax, flat type \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00, poorer \$1.50-2.75.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Mild, clear. Haulings moderate; for 3-4 doz demand good; for 6 doz demand fair; for 8-10 doz demand slow; market unsettled. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 3-4 doz \$2.50-2.75, few \$2.90; 6 doz \$2.25-2.75; mostly \$2.50-2.75; 8 doz \$2.00-2.50; 10 doz \$1.75-2.00; X's - no sales reported; precooling 10¢ extra.

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Mild, clear. Haulings light, demand moderate, market firm. Price to growers: Yard sales, per pint without crates, Missionaries, US No 1s 13-26¢, mostly 23 7/8¢.

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LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash Boxes, Delicious, Fcy \$4.14. BULK, Winesaps, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.50.  
BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30; Central American \$9.00.  
BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, Tendergreens \$6.00; ord. cond. Tendergreens, Valentines and Wax \$2.50-3.50.  
BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.  
BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50.  
BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
CABBAGE: New; Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.50-1.75; Tex bulk per cwt \$2.50-3.00.  
CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sacks \$2.25; Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50; ord to fair qty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25, few \$2.75-3.00.  
CELERY: Golden Heart, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz mostly \$5.75-6.00, some \$5.25; Pascal, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.00; Calif 22-in 1/2 crts, 2 1/2 doz \$4.50.  
COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢.  
CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-120s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks \$3.00-3.50; Ruby Red Std. box 46-96s \$4.00.  
LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; Fair qty \$6.25.  
LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.50-5.00; 6 doz \$4.75; Yuma 5 doz, dry pack \$4.75.  
LINES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
MUSHROOMS: No. per pint 50¢.  
MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.  
GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
ONIONS: No sales reported.  
ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$5.00-5.50.  
ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, white \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.  
ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 176-252s \$3.75-4.38; 288s \$3.50; Valencias, 150-252s \$4.00-4.38; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.25; 200-220s \$4.50-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 344-392s \$3.00-3.75.  
PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmpers & bu bsks \$3.75-4.50.  
PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
PEPPERS: Practically no supplies Sweet.  
PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00; few Best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites, US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Texas Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx. 45-lb \$3.25-3.50.  
RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.  
SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers and bsks \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmpers, White few \$7.00.  
SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qual \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qty \$2.75-3.00; ord qty \$2.00-2.25.  
TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripens and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s and larger \$4.50; 6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & lgr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75.  
TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.  
TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Wed Feb 9	694	322	40	318	39	105	178	215	14	111
Wed Feb 2	800	201	23	363	81	88	198	136	21	119

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

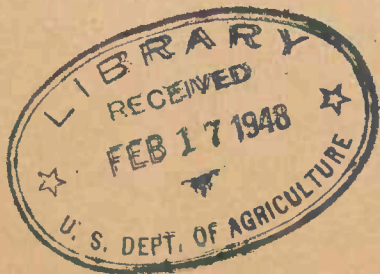
POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate; for good stock all sections demand moderate, market firm; for poorer stock all section, demand very slow, market dull to weak. On track 193; arrived 9 Colo, 38 Idaho, 3 Maine, 1 Mich, 6 Minn, 4 Nebr, 6 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 1 Wash, 9 Wis; diverted 47. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets US No 1s size "A", unwashed, few sales best \$3.25-3.40; Idaho Utility grade, unwashed, 1 car \$2.30; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.47; Minn and N. Dak Red River Valley Section- no early sales reported; Wis Chippewas, US No 1s size "A" and good quality, unwashed, few sales \$2.35-2.40; 1 car US Commercials, unwashed \$2.15. New stock: Supplies light, demand good, market stronger, prices higher. On track 4; arrived 4 Fla. Track sales, less carlots: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car \$3.10. Street sales: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, few US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.50; bushel baskets Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75.

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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX. No. 27

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 9.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

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POTATOES: Calif 11, Colo 38, Conn 6, Fla 40 Idaho 208 com'l, 13 manf, Ind 2, Maine 232 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, 5 manf, Mich 17, Minn 70 com'l, 13 Govt purchases, Mont 2, Nebr 37, Long Island 22, N Y 13, N Dak 108 com'l, 9 Govt purchases, Oreg 24, S Dak 7, Utah 5, Wash 6, Wis 16 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Wyo 2, total US 687 com'l, 24 Govt purchases, 5 manf; unreported 8th N Dak 1, Oreg 1, Utah 3, total US 5; deduct 8th S Dak 1. APPLES: Dela 2, N Y 14, Oreg 7, Pa 4, Va 10, Wash 84 com'l, 1 manf, total US 123 com'l, 1 manf; unreported 8th Oreg 2, W Va 2, total 4. CABBAGE: Ariz 2, Calif 19, Fla 71, N Y 3, Tex 81, total US 176. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 11, Calif 19, Tex 42, total US 72. Topped- N Y 5, Oreg 1 manf, Tex 1, Utah 1, total US 7 com'l, 1 manf. CELERY: Calif 9, Fla 31, total US 90. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 8, Fla 64, Tex 102, total US 194. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 79, Phoenix Dist 1, Calif 279, Fla 6, Tex 3, total US 368. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 4, Fla 77 frt, 18 exp, Tex 16 frt, 2 exp, total US 97 frt, 20 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 17, Calif 28, Colo 4, Fla 59 frt, 5 exp, Ga 2, Ida 1, La 2, Oreg 1, Tex 138, totl US 254 frt, 5 exp; origin not specified 1; unreported 8th Tex 9. ONIONS: Colo 18, Mich 17, Ida 6, N Y 16, Ohio 2, Oreg 7, total US 68. ORANGES: Ariz 3, Calif 194, Fla 211, Tex 4, total US 412. SPINACH: Tex 30 com'l, 10 manf, 2 exp, total US 78 frt, 2 exp, 10 com'l; unreported 8th Tex 8 manf, 8 com'l, total 16. SWEET POTATOES: Ga 1, La 26, N C 1 frt, 1 exp, Tenn 1, Tex 4, total US 33 frt, 1 exp unreported 8th N Jer 1. TOMATOES: Fla 27, total US 27; origin not specified 42. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Lima US 16; Beets Tex 9, total US 11 com'l, 1 manf; unreported 8th Tex 3; Broccoli Tex 5, total US 5; Cauliflower Tex 1, total US 50; Escarole US 9; Greens US 12; Lemons US 46 com'l, 3 manf; Pears US 5; Green Peas US 9; origin not specified 4; Peppers US 12; origin not specified 1; Tangerines US 13; Turnips and Rutabagas Tex 1, total US 7; origin not specified 6.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 10.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Idaho; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 1 Tex. Total Arrivals 3.

DIVERTED: Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 4 Calif; Spinach - 1 Texas; total Diverted 6.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 2 Tex. Total Unloads 7.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Idaho; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 4 Calif, 3 Ariz; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 1 Texas, 1 Calif. Total Track 14.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 9.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 2 Nebr, 1 Idaho, 1 Minn; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Oranges - 6 Calif. Total Arrivals 22.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Nebr; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz; Onions - 1 Colo; Oranges - 5 Calif. Total Diverted 12.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 3 Colo, 1 Nebr, 5 Idaho, 1 Minn; Apples - 3 Wash; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 3 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 2 Texas. Total Unloads 24.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Ida, 4 Nebr, 1 Maine, 1 Wyo; Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Oranges - 2 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Texas. Total Track 22.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 9.

LETTUCE: BRANLEY, Calif. IMPERIAL VALLEY. Clear, cool. Demand slow, market weak. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen \$1.75-2.00, best mostly \$2.00; top ice extra. YUMA DIST: Demand fair at slightly lower prices; market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz \$1.75-2.00; straight 4 and heavy to 4 doz mostly \$2.00; top ice extra; occasional wire sale higher.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 27°, Max 33°, snowed during the day. Rather light wire inquiry, demand slow, market dull. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and unwashed \$2.55-2.65; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt \$3.01-3.09; 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 2s \$1.50-1.55.

FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s and US Commercial brushed, size "A" and "B" \$2.50.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$4.00.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Clear, mild. Haulings moderate, demand good, market firm. Sales to local buyers: Bushel hampers, Bountifuls few \$3.25, poorer \$1.90; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00; Plentifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.25-2.75, poorer \$1.90-2.00; Tendergreen \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; Wax, flat type \$3.50; fair quality \$3.25, poorer \$2.75.

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Mild, cloudy, windy. Haulings light, demand fair, market weaker. Price to growers: Yard sales, per pint without crates, Missionaries US No 1s 17-23 1/2¢, mostly 21 1/8¢.

CABBAGE: WESLACO, Tex. LOWER RIO GRANDE VALLEY. Mild, partly cloudy. Demand slow, market weak. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Round Domestic type, 50-lb sacks, straight cars 65-75¢; mixed cars 75-85¢.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVILDO SECTION, Fla. Cloudy, mild. ; for 3-4 doz demand moderate, for 5 doz and smaller demand light; market about steady. Some shipments rolled unsold. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 3-4 doz \$2.50-2.75; 6 doz \$2.55-2.75; 8 doz few \$2.40; 10 doz few \$2.25; XX's - too few sales to quote; precooling 10¢ extra.

LAKE OKEECHOBEE SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand fair, market about steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 3-6 doz \$2.25-2.50; 8 doz \$2.25; 10 doz \$2.00-2.10.  
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LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash. bulk Winesaps, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.50.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qlty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30; Central American \$9.00.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens \$6.00; ord. cond. Tendergreens, Valentines and Wax \$2.50-3.50.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.50-1.75; Tex bulk per cwt \$2.50-3.00. CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 2,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$2.25; Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50 ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25, few \$2.75-3.00.  
 CELERY: Golden Heart, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz mostly \$5.75-6.00, some \$5.25; Pascal, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.00; Calif 22-in 1/2 crts, 2-3 doz \$4.50.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz, Fcy size \$3.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks \$3.00-3.50; Ruby Red Std. box 46-96s \$4.00.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; fair qlty \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.50-5.00, mostly \$4.50-4.75; few 5 doz low as \$4.25.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
 ONIONS: Colo Yellow Sweet Spanish, fair qlty, 3 in. & lgr \$2.75.

ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.50.  
 ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00-6.75-4.38; 288s \$3.50; Valencias, 150-252s \$4.00-4.38; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 20-176s \$5.00-5.25; 200-220s \$4.50-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 344-392s \$3.00-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmprs & bu bsks \$3.75-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Practically no supplies Sweet. PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00; few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites, US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Texas Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90s \$3.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx, 45-lb \$3.25-3.50.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs and bsks \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmprs, White few \$7.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s and larger \$4.50 6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & lgr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; opped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Thurs Feb 10	595	326	41	249	48	98	158	188	13	95
Thurs Feb 3	701	200	14	305	74	85	177	142	12	98

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

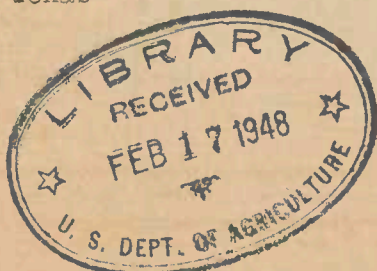
POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Cloudy, 26°. Old stock: Supplies very light; for best stock all sections; for poorer stock all sections demand very slow, market dull. On track 152; arrived 5 Colo, 32 Ida, 4 Mich, 9 Minn, 2 Nebr, 1 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 5 Wis; diverted 50. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, few sales heavy to large size \$3.40-3.45; unwashed, no early sales reported; Idaho standard grade, unwashed, few \$2.70; 1 car washed \$2.75; Idaho Utility grade, washed and unwashed few sales \$2.50; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, few sales jobbed \$3.47; N Dak Red River Valley section, offerings very light, demand moderate, market firm. On track 1; arrived 1 Fla. Track sales, less carlots: None available today's track market. Late Wed- Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car \$3.10; bu crates, Bliss Triumphs, 1 car mixed US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.25; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.10.

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 Local Representative

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CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 10.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 29, Colo 47, Conn 4, Fla 43, Idaho 257 frt, 5 mfr, Ind 4, Iowa 2, Maine 250 frt, 1 Government Purchase, 5 mfr, Maine 9 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Mich 14, Minn 60 frt, 10 Government Purchases, Mont 3, Nebr 29, Nev 13, Long Island 19, N.Y. 6, N.D. 90 frt, 20 Government Purchases, Ore 32 frt, 2 mfr, Pa 2, S. D. 9, Utah 2, Vt 1 Government Purchase, Wash 7 frt, 2 mfr, Wisc 11, Wyo 5, total US 947 frt, 33 Government Purchases, 14 mfr; origin not specified 3; deduct 3th Utah 2, N.H. 1, total US 3. APPLES: Calif 3, Mich 3, N.Y. 9, Ore 12, Pa 4, Va 15, Wash 115 frt, 5 mfr, W. Va 7, total US 169 frt, 5 mfr; unreported 9th Ore 2. BEANS, SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 15, total US 15. CABBAGE: Ariz 3, Calif 12, Fla 59, La 3, N.Y. 2, Texas 64, total US 144. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 12, Calif 30, Texas 31, total US 73. Topped- N.Y. 5, Ore 1 mfr, Texas 3, total US 8 frt, 1 mfr. CELERY: Calif 9, Fla 78, total US 87. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 3, Fla 65, Texas 110, total US 178. GREENS: Calif 6, S.C. 2, Va 5, total US 15. LETTUCE: Ariz 66, Calif 304, total US 360. MIXED CITRUS FRUIT: Ariz 2, Calif 5, Fla 78 frt, 20 exp, Texas 17 frt, 2 exp, total US 102 frt, 22 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 12, Calif 34, Colo 3, Fla 68 frt, 6 exp, La 4, Minn 6, S.C. 4, Texas 122, total US 254 frt, 6 exp; origin not specified 1. ONIONS: Calif 2, Colo 14, Idaho 6, Mich 10, Minn 2, N.Y. 16, Ore 8, total US 60. ORANGES: Ariz 1, Calif 191, Fla 258, Texas 6, total US 456. PEARS: Wash 6, total US 6. SPINACH: Texas 62 frt, 4 mfr, total US 62 frt, 4 mfr. SWEET POTATOES: La 16, N.J. 2, S.C. 3, Tenn 2, Texas 8, total US 33; unreported 9th N.J. 1. TOMATOES: Fla 23, total US 23; origin not specified 31. MISCELLANEOUS: Peets Texas 5 frt, 2 mfr, total US 6 frt, 3 mfr; Broccoli Texas 1, total US 28; Cauliflower total US 50; Escarole total US 15; Lemons total US 50 frt, 1 mfr; Mixed Deciduous Fruit total US 2; Peas, Green total US 9, origin not specified 11; Peppers total US 7, origin not specified 1; Strawberries total US 1 exp; Tangerines total US 11; Turnips and Rutabagas Texas 1, total US 4, origin not specified 6.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 11.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 1 N.D., 1 Nebr, 1 Texas; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 8 origin not specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Oranges - 1 Ariz, 1 Texas; Spinach - 1 Texas. Total Arrivals 26.

DIVERTED: Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 2 Calif, 2 Ariz; Oranges - 1 Texas; Spinach - 1 Texas. Total Diverted 9.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Celery - 1 Fla; Lettuce - 2 Ariz, 3 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 1 Ariz. Total Unloaded 13.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 1 Nebr, 1 N.D., 1 Texas; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 4 origin not specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Texas. Total On Track 18.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 10.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 1 Nebr, 1 N.D., 1 Idaho, 1 Wyo; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Beans, Snap - 1 Fla; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif, 1 Ariz; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Texas, 1 origin not specified. Total Arrivals 18.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Wyo; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif. Total Diverted 4.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 Texas. Total Unloaded 7.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 2 Idaho, 5 Nebr, 1 Wyo, 1 N.D., 1 Maine; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Beans, Snap - 1 Fla; Cabbage - 2 Texas; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 6 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif, 1 Ariz; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified, 1 Texas. Total On Track 29.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 10.

LETTUCE: BRAWLEY, CALIF. IMPERIAL VALLEY. Clear, cool. Demand very slow, market weak. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen, iced mostly \$1.75, some 4-5 doz, heavy to 5 \$1.60-1.65, few dry pack, straight 4 dozen high as \$2.00. YUMA DIST, Ariz. Demand slow, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen mostly \$1.75, few lower; some wire sales higher; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 10°, Max 27°, clear. Rather light wire inquiry, offerings liberal, demand slow, market dull. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed & unwashed \$2.52-2.69, washed mostly \$2.61-2.69; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt \$3.01-3.09, mostly \$3.09; 10-lb sacks Russets, Idaho Std. grade, per cwt few \$2.79; 100-lb sacks, Russets, US No 2s mostly \$1.50, few \$1.55-1.60.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Partly cloudy, 9°. Light wire inquiry, demand moderate, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point: 2s per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", 2-inch minimum \$2.64-2.69; US No 2s \$1.75-1.90.

FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s and US Commercial, brushed, size "A" and "B" \$2.50. DADE CO. SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.50-2.65.

CELEBY: SANFORD-LOVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Partly cloudy, mild. Haulings moderate; for best 4 doz demand fair; for 6 doz and smaller demand light; market slightly weaker. Some shipments rolled unsold. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 3-4 doz \$2.25-2.75, mostly \$2.40-2.50; 6 doz \$2.25-2.55; 8 doz \$2.00-2.25, few high as \$2.40; 10 doz \$1.75-2.25; XX's \$1.50-1.75; precooling 10¢ extra.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Mild, clear. Haulings moderate, demand good, market steady. Sales to local buyers: Bu hmpers, Bountifuls, some fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.00-2.75, poorer \$1.60-1.85; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.50; Plentifuls \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.25; ordinary quality \$2.25-2.75, poorer \$2.00; Tendergreens \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00-3.35; Wax, flat type \$3.50; fair quality \$3.00, poorer \$1.50.

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Mild, clear. Haulings light, demand moderate, market about steady. Price to growers: Yard sales, per pint without crts, Missionaries, US 1s 20-22¢, mostly 21 7/8¢. (over)



LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT LOTS (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash. bulk Winesaps, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.

AVOCADOS: Flts, Calif 24-3s \$3.00-3.50.

BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qlty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30; Central American \$9.00.

CANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, Tendergreens \$5.50; poor to ord cond. Tendergreens, Valentines and Wax \$1.50-2.50.

LETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.75-3.00, small \$2.00-2.50.

BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50.

RUSSELLS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.

CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.50-1.75; Texas bulk per cwt \$2.00-2.50.

CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 2,000 \$4.25-5.00.

CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$2.25; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.

CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50 ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25, few \$2.75-3.00.

CELERY: Golden Heart, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz mostly \$5.75-6.00, some \$5.25; Pascal, Fla 16-in wirebound crts, 2-4 doz \$5.00; Calif 22-in 1/2 crts, 2 3/4 doz \$4.50.

COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.

COLIARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢.

CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz, Fcy size \$3.25.

GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.

GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks \$3.00-3.50; Ruby Red Std. box 46-96s \$3.50.

LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; Fair qlty \$6.25.

LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.25-4.75, mostly \$4.50; 6 doz \$4.50.

LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.

MUSHROOMS: No. per pint 50¢.

MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L. A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.

GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz mch 80-90¢.

ONIONS: No supplies.

ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.50.

ONION SETS: 111, 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.

ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 176-252s \$3.75-4.38; 288s \$3.50; Valenicas, 150-252s \$4.00-4.38; 288-324s \$3.00-3.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navel, boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.25; 200-220s \$4.50-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 344-392s \$3.00-3.75.

PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.

PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmpers & bu bsks \$3.50-4.50.

PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.

PEPPERS: Sweet Fla bu bsks Fcy \$5.75-6.50.

PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.

POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; unclassified \$2.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.00; few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00; Calif Long Whites, US No 1s size "A", washed \$4.40. New crop: Texas Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.

RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.

RHUBARB: Calif apple boxes, approx, 45-lb \$3.25-3.50.

RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75-2.00; not waxed \$1.25-1.50.

SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers and bsks \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.

SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmpers, few White \$7.00; yellow \$8.00-10.00.

SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crt US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50 US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.

TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, 6 x 6s and larger \$4.50 6 x 7s \$4.00; repacked, 6 x 6s & lgr \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.00-4.75.

TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.50.

TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Fri Feb 11	474	286	43	146	26	82	127	149	8	59
Fri Feb 4	653	188	21	261	60	77	166	134	16	80

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Snow, 22°. Old stock: Supplies light, trading very light account heavy snow, market steady for best stock. On track 117; arrived 1 Colo, 24 Ida, 9 Minn, 1 Mont, 2 Nebr, 17 N Dak, 1 Wyo, 4 Wis; diverted 31. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, 1 car heavy to large size \$3.40; washed, 1 outstanding car large size \$3.50; N Dak. Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 85% US No 1 quality, unwashed, 2 cars \$2.35; offerings other sections- no sales reported. New stock: Supplies very light, trading very light, market steady. On track none, arrived none. Street sales: Fla., Ft. Myers Section, bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, very few sales \$3.75; US No 1s size "B", washed, very few sales \$3.65. East Coast Section, bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, very few sales, US No 1s size "A", few US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.25.

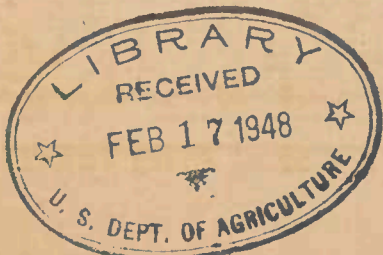
KANSAS CITY: Cloudy, 8°. Market dull. On track 23; arrived 5 Colo, 2 Idaho, 3 Minn, 8 Nebr, 1 N Dak; diverted 35. Late sales Thurs- carlot sales and carlot sales to outside points, Kansas City basis: Idaho 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A" \$3.15-3.20; US No 2s \$2.10-2.17; 1 car \$2.05; Colo 100-lb sacks Red McClures, US No 1s, 1 car \$3.15; N Dak 100-lb sacks Cobblers, US Commercial 1 car \$2.60, 1 car \$2.40; Nebr 100-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 2s, washed, 1 car \$2.45; US No 2s, unwashed \$2.25-2.35.

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CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR FRIDAY, Feb. 11.

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POTATOES: Calif 32, Colo 34, Conn 9, Fla 42, Ida 155 com'l, 8 manf, Maine 241 com'l, 17 Govt purchases, 5 manf, Mass 2, Mich 14, Minn 49 com'l, 5 Govt purchases, Mont 3, Nebr 21, Long Island 13, N Y 8, N Dak 57 com'l, 8 Govt purchases, Oreg 35, Pa 3, S Dak 3, Wash 13, Wis 7, Wyo 7, total US 755 com'l, 31 Govt purchases, 13 manf; origin not specified 8; unreported 10th Mich 3; unreported 9th Oreg 2; unreported 8th N Y 1. APPLES: Calif 2, N Y 8, Oreg 5, Pa 4, Va 16, Wash 116 com'l, 3 manf, W Va 3, total US 155 com'l, 3 manf. CABBAGE: Ariz 3, Calif 10, Fla 73, N Y 1 com'l, 1 manf, Tex 59 frt, 6 Govt purchases, total US 146 com'l, 6 Govt purchases, 1 manf. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 15, Calif 11, Tex 15, total US 41. Topped- Calif 10, N Y 6 com'l, 1 manf, Tex 7, total US 20 com'l, 2 manf. CELERY: Calif 34, Fla 71, total US 105. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 7, Calif 2, Fla 69, Tex 18, total US 96. LETTUCE: Yuma Dist Ariz 56, Phoenix Dist 2, Calif 176, Fla 4, Tex 1, total US 239. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 3, Calif 6, Fla 73 frt, 18 exp, Tex 19 frt, 2 exp, total US 101 frt, 20 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 10, Calif 36 Colo 4, Fla 56 frt, 5 exp, Ga 2, La 4, Minn 5, Tex 84, total US 203 frt, 5 exp; unreported 10th Tex 1. ONIONS: Calif 1, Colo 15, Ida 12, Mich 16, N Y 12, Oreg 8, total US 64. ORANGES: Ariz 2, Calif 201, Fla 239, Tex 10, total US 452; unreported 10th Calif 2. SPINACH: Fla 1, Tex 48 com'l, 5 manf, total US 49 com'l, 5 manf. SWEET POTATOES: La 1, Ky 1, La 14, N C 1, S C 2, Tenn 1, Tex 3, total US 23. TOMATOES: Calif 2, Fla 22, total US 24; origin not specified 14. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 24; Beets Tex 3, total US 3; unreported 10th Tex 1; Broccoli US 17; Cauliflower US 45; Escarole US 91; Greens US 15; Lemons US 27 com'l, 1 manf; Pears US 7; unreported 10th US 1; Green Peas US 6; origin not specified 8; Peppers US 12; Strawberries US 1 exp; Tangerines US 5; Turnips & Rutabagas Tex 2, total US 3; origin not specified 16.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SATURDAY, Feb. 12.

POTATOES: Calif 6, Colo 48, Conn 4, Fla 30, Ida 194 com'l, 8 manf; Ind 2, Maine 250 com'l, 10 Govt purchases, 6 manf, Mich 22, Minn 40 com'l, 8 Govt purchases, Mont 5, Nebr 21, Nev 8, Long Island 18, N Y 8, N Dak 74 com'l, 6 Govt purchases, Oreg 17, Pa 2, Utah 4 com'l, 4 Govt purchases, Wash 8 com'l, 2 manf, Wis 10 com'l, 2 Govt purchases, Wyo 7, total US 778 com'l, 30 Govt pur., 15 manf; origin not specified 6; unreported 11th N Y 1, Oreg 3, total 4; the 10th N Y 1. APPLES: N Jer 2, N Y 5, Oreg 7, Pa 3, Va 10, Wash 86, W Va 2, total US 120. CABBAGE: Calif 11, Fla 54, La 3, Tex 38 com'l, 7 Govt purchases, 1 manf, total US 108 com'l, 7 Govt purchases, 1 manf. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 18, Calif 29, Tex 6, total US 53; unreported 11th Calif 10. Topped- Ariz 2, N Y 6, Oreg 2 manf, Tex 1 manf, Wis 2, total US 10 com'l, 3 manf; deduct from 11th Calif 10. CELERY: Calif 22, Fla 44, total US 66. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 5, Calif 2, Fla 50, Tex 88, total US 145. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 37, Calif 153, Fla 4, Tex 1, total US 195. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 3, Calif 81 frt, 22 exp, Tex 22 frt, 2 exp, total 106 frt, 24 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 6, Calif 31, Colo 3, Fla 46 frt, 6 exp, Tex 107, total US 198 frt, 6 exp; origin not specified 1. ONIONS: Calif 3, Colo 11, Ida 10, Mich 15, N Y 17, Ohio 1, Oreg 11, total US 68. ORANGES: Ariz 3, Calif 168, Fla 260, Tex 9, total US 440. PEARS: Oreg 5, Wash 1, total US 6. SPINACH: Tex 38 com'l, 5 manf, total US 38 com'l, 5 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 2, La 19, N Jer 2, Tenn 5, Tex 6, total US 34; unreported 11th N C 1 exp. TOMATOES: Fla 17, total US 17; origin not specified 11. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 36; Beets US 2 com'l, 1 manf; Cauliflower US 34; Escarole US 7; Greens US 12; Lemons US 33 com'l, 1 manf; Pears US 5; Green Peas US 7; Peppers US 2; Strawberries US 2 exp; Tangerines US 4; Turnips & Rutabagas Tex 1, total US 2; origin not specified 14.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SUNDAY, Feb. 13.

POTATOES: Calif 15, Colo 1, Fla 4, Ida 72, Ind 2, Maine 2, Mich 2, Nebr 8, Oreg 5, total US 111. CABBAGE: Calif 13, Fla 1, Tex 6 com'l, 2 Govt purchases, total US 20 com'l, 2 Govt purchases. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 1, Calif 8 total US 9. CELERY: Calif 9, Fla 6, total US 15. GRAPEFRUIT: Fla 5, Tex 1, total US 6. LETTUCE: Calif 11, total US 11. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 1, Fla 12 frt, 18 exp, total US 13 frt, 18 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 7, Calif 6, Fla 7 frt, 5 exp, N C 1, Tex 4, total US 25 frt, 5 exp; origin not specified 2. ONIONS: Ida 1, Oreg 1, total US 2. ORANGES: Calif 20, Fla 39, total US 59. SPINACH: Tex 3, total US 3. SWEET POTATOES: Ky 1, La 4, Tenn 3, total US 8. TOMATOES: Fla 5, total US 5; origin not specified 49. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 19; Apples US 5; Beets Tex 1, total US 1; Broccoli US 6; Cauliflower US 1; Greens U 2; Lemons US 17; Green Peas US 4; origin not specified 11; Peppers US 4; origin not spec. 3; Tangerines US 1; Turnips & Rutabagas US 2.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 72 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 14.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 4 Colo, 1 Ida; Apples - 5 Wash; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Celery - 1 Calif, 1 Fla; Gfruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 7 Calif, 2 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Tex, 3 Calif; Tomatoes - 5 Origin not specified; Peppers - 1 Fla. Total Arrivals 39.

DIVERTED: Bananas - 2 Orig. not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Calif. Total Diverted 6.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 3 Ida, 1 N D, 1 Tex, 1 Nebr; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 4; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Celery - 1 Fla; Gfruit - 2 Tex; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not spec., Peppers - 1 Fla. Total Unloads 23.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 4 Colo; Apples - 4 Wash; Celery - 1 Calif; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 6 Calif, 2 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Oranges - 2 Tex, 2 Calif; Tomatoes - 4 Origin not specified. Total Track 28.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 12.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 6 Nebr, 4 Ida, 3 Colo, 2 N Dak, 1 Wyo; Bananas - 3; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 3 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 6 Calif; Oranges - 7 Calif, 2 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified; Avocados - 1 Calif. Total Arrivals 44.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 2 Nebr, 1 Maine; Lemons - 6 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif, 1 Ariz; Oranges - 6 Calif. Total Diverted 20.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Nebr, 1 N D, 2 Wyo, 2 Ida, 2 Colo; Bananas - 4; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Cabbage - 3 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif, 1 Fla; Gfruit - 3 Tex; Lettuce - 6 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif, 2 Tex; Tomatoes - 2 Orig. not spec. Total Unloads 34.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 7 Nebr, 4 Ida, 1 Colo, 2 N Dak; Lemons - 2 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Tex; Avocados - 1 Calif. Total Track 19. (over)



LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash. bulk Winesaps, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00- 3.50.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qlty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, Tendergreens \$4.96-5.50.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.50-1.75.  
 CABBAGE FLAITS: Tex bu bskts, approx. 2,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$2.25; 1 Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50 ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s, \$2.25-75, mostly \$2.25-50.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.75-5.50, mostly \$5.00-5.50; Pascal, 2-4 doz \$5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 55-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks 54-70s \$3.75; 80-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. box 80-96s \$3.50.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; Fair qlty \$3.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.25-4.75, mostly \$4.25-4.50, some 5 doz low as \$3.75; 6 doz \$4.50.  
 LINES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 55-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.50.

ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 176-252s \$3.75-4.38; 268s \$5.50; Valencias, 150-252s \$3.75-4.38; 288s \$5.00-3.75; 324s \$2.00-2.75; Temples, bu bskts, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.25; 200-220s \$4.50-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 344-392s \$3.00-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmpers & bu bskts \$3.50-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet Fla bu bskts Fcy few \$4.35-5.50.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$3.00; unclassified, ordinary qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers and bskts \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmpers, few Yellow \$8.50.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crt US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bskts, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 55-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bskts, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Mon. Feb. 14	692	378	28	266	44	127	121	200	14	125
Mon. Feb. 7	833	269	46	321	60	129	199	196	21	100

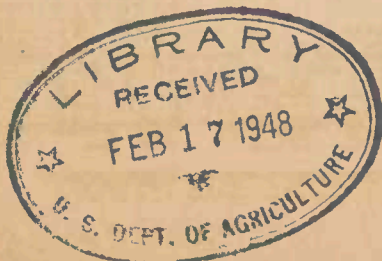
REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate; for best stock demand moderate, market steady; for poorer stock demand very slow, market dull. On track 192; arrived 13 Colo, 35 Ida, 3 Mich, 23 Minn, 24 Nebr, 4 N Y, 25 N Dak, 15 Wis; diverted 35. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$3.20-3.35; 1 car, washed, heavy to large size \$3.45; Idaho Ida Standard grade, washed and unwashed, few sales \$2.75-2.80; Idaho Utility grade, washed, few \$2.30; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, few sales \$3.45-3.47; 1 car unwashed \$3.40; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US Commercials, washed, few sales \$2.80-3.00; Minn Cobblers, 1 car 85% US No 1 quality, unwashed \$2.05; N Dak Red River Valley Section- no early sales reported; Wis. Chippewas, generally good quality, unwashed \$2.35. New stock: Supplies light, demand fair, market steady. On track 7; arrived 9 Fla; diverted 2. Track sales, less carlots: Fla. 50-lb sacks, cotton sacks, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.15; bushel crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.35; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.25.  
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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX No. 31.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 14.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLE RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 35, Colo 29, Conn 6, Fla 31, Idaho 221 frt, 4 mfr, Ind 4, Maine 178 frt, 29 Government Purchases, Mich 14, Minn 66 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Mont 9, Nebr 7, Long Island 17, N.Y. 8, N.D. 126 frt, 3 Government Purchase, Ore 28 frt, 1 mfr, S.D. 4, Utah 6, Wash 10 frt, 1 mfr, Wisc 12, Wyo 6, total US 820 frt, 33 Government Purchases, 6 mfr; origin not specified 4; unreported 13th Mont 1; unreported 12th Mich 1, Ore 1, total US 2; unreported 11th Ore 1; total to date this season old US 219,203; new US 1,036; last season old US 165,305, including 544 Government Purchases; new US 663. APPLES: Calif 3, Del 2, Ill 2, N.Y. 6, Ore 11, Pa 7, Va 15, Wash 64 frt, 1 mfr, total US 110 frt, 1 mfr; unreported 12th Va 1; this season US 26,982, including 15 Government Purchases; last season US 36,855. BEANS, SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 38, total US 38; this season US 3,590; last season US 3,235. CABBAGE: Ariz 2, Calif 11, Fla 48, Texas 44 frt, 3 mfr, 8 Government Purchases; total US 106 frt, 3 mfr, 8 Government Purchases; this season old US 22,419, including 11 Government Purchases; new US 4,420; last season old US 24,689, including 6 Government Purchases; new US 3,513. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 12, Calif 15, Texas 17, total US 44; deduct 12th Ariz 1; this season old US 24,413; new US 4,575; last season old US 19,346, including 44 Government Purchases; new US 5,164. Topped- N.Y. 4 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Ore 1, Texas 4 frt, 1 mfr, total US 9 frt, 1 mfr, 1 Government Purchase. CELERY: Calif 19, Fla 37, total US 56; this season US 8,399; last season US 7,445. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 7, Calif 2, Fla 52, Texas 104, total US 163; unreported 12th Texas 2; this season US 15,147, including 7 Government Purchases; last season US 15,187. GREENS: Calif 1, Fla 2, Va 3, total US 6; this season US 545; last season US 808. LETTUCE: Ariz 42, Calif 185, Fla 2, Tex 1, total US 230; this season US 22,475; last season US 19,465. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 6, Fla 41 frt, 6 exp, Tex 7 frt, 3 exp, total US 55 frt, 9 exp; unreported 13th Fla 1, Tex 2, total US 3; this season US 13,169; last season US 10,739. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 8, Calif 19, Colo 4, Fla 35 frt, 1 exp, Minn 4, Texas 9, total US 172 frt, 1 exp; this season US 9,121; last season US 6,188. ONIONS: Colo 7, Idaho 4, Mich 10, N.Y. 15, total US 38; this season US 22,929, including 59 Government Purchases; last season US 29,991. ORANGES: Ariz 4, Calif 138, Fla 138, Tex 8, total US 288; unreported 13th Fla 1; this season US 38,578; last season US 30,286. SPINACH: Texas 42 frt, 7 mfr, total US 42 frt, 7 mfr; unreported 11th Tex 1; deduct 12th Texas 1; this season US 3,422; last season US 2,367. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, Ky 2, La 11, N.J. 2, N.C. 1 exp, Tenn 4, Texas 5, total US 25, 1 exp; this season US 7,171; last season US 7,317. TOMATOES: Fla 2, total US 3; origin not specified 8; this season US 1,677; last season US 1,808. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Texas 8 frt, 3 mfr, total US 8 frt, 3 mfr; Broccoli Texas 3, total US 10; Cauliflower total US 25; unreported 12th Calif 1; Escarole total US 6; Lemons total US 25 frt, 1 mfr; Pears total US 12; Peas total US 6, origin not specified 28; Peppers total US 9; Tangerines total US 2; Turnips and Rutabagas total US 4, origin not specified 24; unreported 12th origin not specified 3.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 15.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 3 Idaho; Apples - 2 Tex; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 3 Calif, 2 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 2 Tex s; Rutabagas - 1 origin not specified; Tomatoes - 4 origin not specified. Total Arrivals 23.

DIVERTED: Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz. Total Diversions 2.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 4 Colo; Apples - 4 Wash; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 4 origin not specified. Total Unloads 19.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Idaho, 1 Colo; Apples - 2 Wash; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 8 Calif, 3 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 3 Texas, 1 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 origin not specified; Tomatoes - 4 origin not specified. Total On Track 30.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 14.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 3 Idaho, 1 N.D., 2 Colo, 1 Nebr, 1 Wyo; Apples - 2 Wash, 1 Ore; Bananas - 5 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla, 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 3 Texas; Lemons - 5 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif, 3 Texas, 1 Ariz; Rutabagas - 1 Minn; Tomatoes - 3 Tex, 3 origin not specified; Beets - 2 Texas; Carrots - 1 Texas. Total Arrived 47.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Nebr. Total Diverted 1.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 4 Idaho, 2 Nebr, 1 N.D., 3 Colo, 1 Wyo; Apples - 1 Wash, 1 Ore; Bananas - 5 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 3 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Tex, 1 Ariz; Tomatoes - 3 Texas, 1 origin not specified; Avocados - 1 Calif; Beets - 2 Texas. Total Unloaded 35.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Idaho, 5 Nebr, 2 N.D.; Apples - 1 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 7 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Texas; Rutabagas - 1 Minn; Tomatoes - 1 Texas, 2 origin not specified; Carrots - 1 Tex. Total On Track 30.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 14.

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY, Calif & YUMA, Ariz. Clear, cold. Demand good, market slightly stronger. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz \$2.00; top ice extra. Imperial Valley, minimum 25°.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS, UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 20°, Max 28°, light snow during day. Rather light wire inquiry, demand slow, market slightly weaker; average prices slightly lower. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and unwashed \$2.50-2.61; washed, in mixed cars, few higher; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt \$3.04-3.09.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Partly cloudy, 6° below zero. Light wire inquiry, demand slow, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s, washed, dark red, few sales \$2.69.

FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s and US Commercial brushed, size "A" and "B" \$2.50. DADE CO. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A" washed and US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.50-2.65, few higher.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Cloudy, mild. Haulings moderate, demand fair, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed & precooled, 3-4 doz \$2.25-2.50; 6 doz \$2.10-2.25 few high as \$2.50; 8 doz \$1.85-2.25; 10 doz \$1.75-2.00. Pascal type, 4 doz & larger \$2.25; 6 doz & smaller - too few to quote; precooling 10¢ extra. (over)



LOCAL FRUIT & VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash boxes comb Ex Fcy & Fcy wine-sapes \$4.05-4.14; Staymans & Pearmaine \$4.05; bulk winesaps, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.50.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, Tendergreens \$4.96-5.00.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
 CABBAGE: Tex, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.50-1.75.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 2,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$2.25; Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50 ord to fair qty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.75, mostly \$2.25-2.50.  
 CULERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50. Pascal 2-4 doz \$5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 CUCUMBERS: Roothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks 54-70s \$3.75; 80-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. box 80-96s \$3.50.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; fair qty \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz Calif Imperial Valley \$4.25-4.75, mostly \$4.25-4.50, some 5 doz low as \$3.75; 6 doz \$4.50.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 55-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.50.

ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, white \$5.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Pineapples, boxes, 176-252s \$3.75-4.38; 288s \$3.50; Valencias, 150-252s \$3.75-4.38; 288s \$3.00-3.75; 324s \$2.00-2.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 80-176s \$5.00-5.25; 200-220s \$4.50-5.00; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.50; 344-392s \$3.00-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmpers & bu bsks \$3.50-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet Fla bu bsks Fcy few \$4.35-4.75.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$3.00; unclassified, ordinary qty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Ida Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few best \$4.34; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.  
 SPINAGE: Tex bu hmpers and bsks \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmpers, few Yellow \$2.50.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crt US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qty \$2.75-3.00; ord qty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripen and turning, wrapped all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qty \$3.50-3.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Ors Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

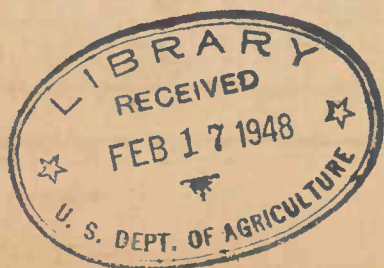
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REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Clear, 23°. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow and limited to best stock; market dull with slightly weaker feeling prevailing. On track 197; arrived 10 Colo, 33 Ida, 6 Mich, 10 Minn, 7 Nebr, 1 N Y, 17 W Dak, 7 Wis; diverted 56. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, very few sales \$3.20-3.35; 1 car washed, heavy to large size \$3.45; Idaho Utility grade, unwashed, few sales \$2.00-2.25; best \$2.25; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car \$3.35; jobbing, few sales \$3.42-3.47; Mich Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, very few sales \$2.25-2.40; W Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 1 car US Commercial, unwashed \$2.30; 1 car fair quality, unwashed \$2.00; Cobblers - no sales reported; Wis Chippewas, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, very few sales \$2.30-2.45. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow, market slightly weaker. On track 9; arrived 9 Fla. Track sales, less carlots: Fla. 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", few US No 1s size "B", brushed, few sales \$3.10; bu crts, Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.20-3.25, mostly \$3.25; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.15. Tues., Feb. 15, 1944.  
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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX, No. 32

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, Feb. 15.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)  
Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 44, Colo 29, Conn 8, Fla 32, Ida 235 com'l, 9 manf, Mass 2, Maine 241 com'l, 29 Govt purchases, 4 manf, Mich 18 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, Minn 113 com'l, 3 Govt purchases, Mont 3, Nebr 27, Nev 5, Long Island 29, N Y 6, N Dak 155 com'l, 2 Govt purchases, Oreg 31, Utah 4, Wash 8 com'l, 1 manf, Wis 9, Wyo 8, total US 1,008 com'l, 36 Govt purchases, 14 manf; origin not specified 2; unreported 14th Ind 1, Oreg 1, S Dak 1, Utah 2, total US 5. APPLES: Calif 3, Ill 1, Mass 1, Mich 1, Mo 2, N Y 6, Oreg 11, Pa 4, Va 16, Wash 107 com'l, 1 manf, W Va 2, total US 154 com'l, 1 manf; unreported 14th W Va 2. CABBAGE: Ariz 2, Calif 10, Fla 59, La 2, Tex 71 com'l, 12 Govt purchases, 5 manf, total US 144 com'l, 12 Govt purchases, 5 manf. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 15, Calif 25, Tex 24, total US 64. Topped- Calif 1, N Y 3, Tex 4, Utah 1, total 9. CELERY: Calif 25, Fla 54, total US 79. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 6, Fla 50, Tex 120, total US 176. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 59, Calif 213, Fla 2, Tex 1, total US 275. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 2, Calif 4, Fla 44 frt, 20 exp, Tex 21 frt, 3 exp, total US 71 frt, 23 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 11, Calif 29, Colo 4, Fla 60 frt, 6 exp, Ida 2, La 2, Tex 125, total US 235 frt, 6 exp; origin not specified 2. ONIONS: Colo 10, Ida 4, Mich 8, Minn 2, N Y 15, Oreg 8, total US 47. ORANGES: Ariz 4, Calif 187, Fla 181, Tex 10, total US 382. SPINACH: Tex 59 com'l, 3 manf, total US 59 com'l, 3 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Ga 1, Ind 1, La 15, S C 1, N C 1 exp, Tenn 7, Tex 1, total US 26 frt, 1 exp. TOMATOES: Calif 1, Fla 18, total US 19; origin not specified 44. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 36; Beets Tex 12 com'l, 2 manf, total US 12 com'l, 2 manf; Broccoli Tex 1, total US 12; Cauliflower US 29; Escarole US 8; Greens Tex 1, total US 8; Lemons US 43 com'l, 6 manf; Pears US 12; Green Peas US 9; origin not specified 1; Peppers US 13; origin not specified 1; Turnips and Rutabagas US 4; origin not specified 14.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 16.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 1 Minn, 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Oreg; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 Origin not Specified; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not Specified. Total Arrivals 12.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 2 Colo; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 4 Calif. Total Diverted 7.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho; Apples - 1 Wash; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla; Oranges - 2 Tex; Rutabagas - 1 Origin not specified; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified. Total Unloads 10.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Ida, 1 Minn; Apples - 1 Wash, 1 Oreg; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Ariz, 6 Calif; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex; Rutabagas - 1 Origin not Specified; Tomatoes - 4 Origin not specified. Total Track 25.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 15.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 3 Colo, 4 Ida, 1 Utah, 1 Minn; Apples - 1 Oreg, 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla, 1 Tex; Oranges - 5 Calif; Avocados - 1 Calif. Total Arrivals 29.

DIVERTED: Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 4.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 4 Ida, 2 Nebr, 1 N Dak, 1 Nebr, 2 Colo, 1 Utah; Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex, 1 Fla; Oranges - 3 Calif, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Tex, 1 Origin not Specified; Avocados 1 Calif; Carrots - 1 Tex. Total Unloads 30.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Ida, 1 Colo, 2 Nebr, 2 Minn, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash, 1 Oreg; Lemons - 6 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif; Oranges - 3 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not Specified. Total Track 25.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, Feb. 15.

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY, Calif. Partly cloudy, cool. YUMA DIST: Min 43°, Max 64°, trace of rain. Demand fair, market unsettled and slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen \$1.75-2.00; best straight 4 and heavy to 4 dozen mostly \$2.00; top ice extra. Inspections: Imperial Valley: 83% graded US No 1s, 17% graded 85% US 1 quality.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS, UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 5° below, Max 20°, partly cloudy. Light wire inquiry; for best stock, washed and for small bags demand fair, market about steady; for other stock market dull and slightly weaker. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.60-2.69; US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$2.45-2.55, occasional sale lower; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt \$3.05-3.09; 10-lb sacks US No 2s, per cwt \$2.79; 100-lb sacks, Russets, US No 2s \$1.45-1.50; mixed cars higher.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Partly cloudy, min 3°. Light wire inquiry, demand light, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s, washed, dark red, few sales \$2.69.

FORT MYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s and US Commercials, size "A" and size "B" mostly \$2.50, few \$2.60. DADE CO. SECTION: Haulings moderate, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.50-2.65, few higher.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Cloudy, mild. Haulings moderate; for 3-4 doz demand moderate; for 6 doz and smaller demand fair; market about steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 3-4 dozen \$2.25-2.50, few higher; 6 doz \$2.10-2.50, mostly \$2.25-2.50; 8 doz \$2.00-2.25, few low as \$1.85; 10 doz \$1.75-2.00; XX's \$1.50-1.75; precooling 10% extra.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$3.75-4.00.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION. Clear, warm. Haulings heavy, demand fair, market weaker except Stringless Black Valentines about steady. Sales to local buyers: Bu hmpers, Bountifuls, fair quality \$1.50; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.45; fair quality \$2.75-3.00; Plentifuls \$2.25-2.50; fair quality \$2.00-2.15; ordinary quality \$1.35-1.50; Tendergreens \$2.25-2.50, few \$2.65-2.75, fair quality \$1.75-2.00; ordinary quality \$1.55; wax, flat type, fair quality \$1.75-2.00, poorer \$1.50-1.75.  
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SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

**APPLES:** Wash boxes, Comb Ex Fcy & Fcy Winesaps \$4.05-4.14; Staymans & Pearmain \$4.05; bulk Winesaps, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
**AVOCADOS:** Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.50.  
**BANANAS:** Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qlty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30.  
**BEANS, SNAP:** Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens \$4.95-5.00. **LIMAS:** \$8.50 bu bskt.  
**BEEFS:** Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.00-2.50.  
**BROCCOLI:** Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50.  
**BRUSSELS SPROUTS:** Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
**CABBAGE:** New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.25-1.50.  
**CABBAGE PLANTS:** Tex bu bsks, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
**CARROTS:** Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sacks \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
**CAULIFLOWER:** Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-3.00. ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.50-2.75.  
**CELERY:** Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50. Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00.  
**COCONUTS:** Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
**COLLARDS:** Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$5.25.  
**EGGPLANT:** Fla 1½ bu crts, medium to large size \$5.50.  
**GARLIC:** White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
**GRAPEFRUIT:** Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.85-3.00; Pinks 54-70s \$3.75; 80-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. box 80-96s \$3.50.  
**LEMONS:** Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; fair qlty \$6.25.  
**LETTUCE:** L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley, 4 & 6 doz \$4.50-4.75, mostly \$4.50; 5 doz \$3.75-4.50, mostly \$4.00-4.50.  
**LIMES:** Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
**MUSTARD:** Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L. A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
**GREEN ONIONS:** Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
**ONIONS:** No supplies.  
**ONION PLANTS:** Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 5,000 \$4.50-5.50.

**ONION SETS:** Ill, 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.  
**ORANGES:** Tex. 252-288's \$5.00-4.00; Valencias 150-216's \$3.75-4.35; 324s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navel, boxes, 80-176s \$5.00-5.75; 200-220s \$4.50-5.25; 252s \$4.00-5.00; 288s \$3.50-4.75; 344-392s \$3.00-3.40.  
**PARSLEY:** Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
**PEAS:** Fresh English, Tex bu hmprs & bu bsks \$3.50-4.50.  
**PEAS:** Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
**PEPPERS:** Sweet Fla bu bsks Fcy few \$4.35-4.75.  
**PEPPERS:** Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
**POTATOES:** Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.35; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00.  
**RADISHES:** Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts 90's \$3.00.  
**RUTABAGAS:** Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.  
**SPINACH:** Tex bu hmprs and bsks \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
**SQUASH:** Fla Summer, bu hmprs, Yellow \$7.25-8.50, white \$5.25.  
**SWEET POTATOES:** Tex Porto Ricans, bu crt US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
**TOMATOES:** Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.  
**TURNIP GREENS:** Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L. A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
**TURNIPS:** Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

#### COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

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Wed Feb 9	694	322	40	318	39	105	178	215	14	111

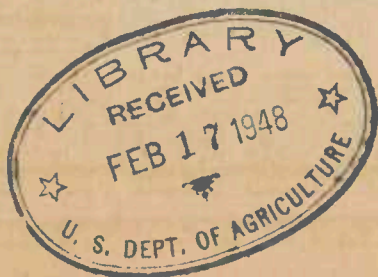
#### REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

**POTATO MARKETS:** CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies very light; for best Colo Red McClures demand moderate, market steady; for offerings other sections demand slow, market slightly weaker. On track 166; arrived 4 Colo, 34 Ida, 1 Mich, 5 Nebr, 7 N Dak, 2 Oreg, 1 S Dak, 3 Wyo; diverted 34. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", few sales, washed, heavy to large size \$3.35-3.45; unwashed few \$3.20-3.35; Idaho Utility grade, unwashed, few sales, best \$2.15-2.25, some poorer no sales reported; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, good color, few sales jobbed \$3.47; N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 1 car 75% US No 1 quality, unwashed \$2.00; Cobblers- no sales reported; Wis- no sales reported. New stock: Supplies moderate; on track 6; arrived 4 Fla; diverted 14. Demand very light, market dull with slightly weaker feeling prevailing. Track sales, less carlots: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, very few sales \$3.10; bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, few US No 1s size "B", washed, very few sales \$3.25.  
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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX, No. 33

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 16.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 23, Colo 39, Conn 8, Fla 33, Ida 206 com'l, 12 manf, Iowa 2 Maine 217 com'l, 17 Govt purchases, 6 manf, Mich 17, Minn 76 com'l, 8 Govt purchases, Md 4, Nebr 22, Long Island 21, N Y 5, N Dak 106 com'l, 2 Govt purchases, Oreg 33 com'l, 1 manf, S Dak 4, Utah 3, Wash 10, Wis 21 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Wyo 9, total US 852 com'l, 28 Govt purchases, 19 manf; origin not specified 1; unreported 15th Colo 2, Oreg 4, total 6. APPLES: Calif 2, Mich 4, N Y 9, Oreg 6, Pa 5, Va 13, Wash 80 com'l, 1 manf, W Va 5, total US 126 com'l, 1 manf; unreported 15th W Va 1. SNAP BEANS & LIMAS: Fla 54, total US 54. CABBAGE: Calif 10, Ariz 1, Fla 55, Tex 59 com'l, 12 Govt purchases, 9 manf, total US 127 com'l, 12 Govt purchases, 9 manf. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 6, Calif 28, Tex 34 com'l, 3 manf, total US 68 com'l, 3 manf. Topped- Ill 2, N Y 5 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, 1 manf; Oreg 2, Tex 3, total US 12 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, 1 manf. CELERY: Calif 24, Fla 94, total US 118. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 8, Calif 5, Fla 68, Tex 136, total US 217. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 35, Calif 201, Fla 4, total US 240. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 5, Fla 54 frt, 16 exp, Tex 15 frt, 3 exp, total US 74 frt, 19 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 5, Calif 47, Colo 4, Fla 57 frt, 5 exp, Ga 2, Ida 3, Minn 8, Tex 129, total US 264 frt, 5 exp; origin not specified 2; unreported 16th Tex 3. ONIONS: Colo 9, Ida 2, Mich 10, N Y 14, Minn 1, Nev 1, Ohio 1, Oreg 3, Wis 2, total US 43. ORANGES: Ariz 4, Calif 182, Fla 192, Tex 11, total US 369; unreported 15th Calif 1. SPINACH: Fla 1, Tex 43 com'l, 15 manf, total US 44 com'l, 5 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, Ga 1, La 23, N C 1, S C 1, Tenn 5, Tex 2, total US 34. TOMATOES: Calif 1, Fla 34, total US 35; origin not specified 36. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Tex 10 com'l, 4 manf, total US 14; Broccoli Tex 2, total US 14; Cauliflower US 22; Escarole US 5; Greens US 8; Lemons US 56 com'l, 2 manf; Pears US 7; Green Peas US 9; origin not specified 29; Peppers US 14; origin not specified 5; Strawberries US 1 exp; Tangerines US 6; Turnips and Rutabagas Tex 1, total US 3; origin not specified 10.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 17.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 2 Ida, 1 Maine; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 5 Origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 3 Calif, 1 Ariz; Onions - 1 Calif; Peanuts - 1 Tex. Total Arrivals 19.

DIVERTED: Bananas - 3 Origin not Specified; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif, 2 Ariz; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not Specified. Total Diverted 11.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 1 Colo, 1 Minn, 1 Maine; Apples - 1 Oregon; Bananas - 2 Origin not Specified; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 1 Calif; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 1 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 Origin not Specified; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not Specified; Peanuts - 1 Tex. Total Unloads 15.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Idaho; Apples - 2 Wash; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Ariz; Onions - 1 Calif; Oranges - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 2 Origin not specified. Total Track 18.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 16.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 4 Idaho; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Ida, 1 Minn; Oranges - 1 Texas; Green Peas - 1 Calif. Total Arrivals 12.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Nebr; Lemons - 4 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 6.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 4 Ida, 1 Nebr; Apples - 1 Oreg; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not Specified; Green Peas - 1 Calif. Total Unloads 12.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 3 Ida, 1 N Dak, 2 Minn; Apples - 1 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Minn, 1 Ida; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Tex. Total Track 19.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 16.

LETTUCE: BRAWLEY, Calif. IMPERIAL VALLEY. Demand slow, market weak. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen mostly \$1.75, few 4 doz high as \$1.85; heavy to 5 dozen low as \$1.50. Some shipments rolled unsold, few on guaranteed advances.

YUMA DIST, Ariz. Loadings light account of temporary car shortage, demand slow, market dull. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Few sales, 4-5 dozen \$1.75-2.00; top ice extra; many shipments rolled unsold.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min. 17°, Max 24°, snowed all day. Light wire inquiry, demand slow, market dull and slightly weaker; prices unchanged to slightly lower on comparable quality. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and unwashed mostly \$2.50-2.60, occasional unwashed car lower; few special pack mugs \$2.65-2.69; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A" per cwt \$3.01-3.09; 10-lb sacks Russets, Ida Standard grade per cwt \$2.79; 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 2s mostly \$1.40-1.50.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Partly cloudy, 2°. Light wire inquiry, demand fair, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s, dark red few sales \$2.69.

FT. MYERS, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s & US Com'l, size "A" and "B" mostly \$2.50, few \$2.60. DADE CO, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s, size "A" and "B" washed \$2.45.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green unwrapped, 6x6s \$5.00-5.25; 6x7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$5.75-4.00.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Clear, mild. Haulings moderate; for 4 doz and larger demand moderate; for 6 doz & smaller demand fair, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed & precooled, 3-4 doz \$2.25-2.50, mostly \$2.25-2.40; 6 doz \$2.00-2.25, mostly around \$2.25, few \$2.50; 8 doz \$1.75-2.00, few \$1.50; 10 doz \$1.50-2.00; XX's \$1.25-1.75; precooling 10¢ extra.

SNAP BEANS: PCMPANO SECTION, Fla. Clear, warm. Haulings moderate, demand slow, market dull and slightly weaker. Sales to local buyers: Bu hmpers, Bountifuls \$2.00; fair qty \$1.50-1.85; Stringless Black Valentines \$2.90-3.45; Plentifuls \$2.25-2.50, few \$2.60; fair qty \$1.75-2.00; ord qty \$1.35-1.55; Tender, greens \$2.00-2.50; fair qty \$1.50-1.75; Wax, flat type \$2.75. (over)



LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb Ex Fcy & Fcy, Delicious & Winesaps \$4.05; bulk Winesaps Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.50.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qlty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30; Central America #3.25 per 40-lb crt.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tender greens \$4.95-5.00. LIMA BEANS: Bu bsks \$8.50.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.50; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$2.00-2.50.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.50-4.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.25-1.50.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L. A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sacks \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-3.00; ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.50-2.75.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50 Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 EGGPLANT: Fla 1½ bu crts, medium to large size \$5.50.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.50-3.00; Pinks 54-70s \$3.75; 80-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. box 80-96s \$3.50.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; 638s \$5.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00; 6 dozen \$4.50.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.50.

ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias, 150-210's \$3.75-4.38; 252s \$3.50-4.25; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 80-176s \$5.25-5.75; 200-220s \$5.00-5.75; 252s \$4.50-5.00; 288s \$4.00-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmprs & bu bsks \$3.50-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bsks, Fcy, few \$4.35-4.75.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sack \$2.75-3.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts 90's \$3.00.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs and bsks \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmprs, Yellow. \$7.25-8.50, White \$5.25.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Thurs Feb 17	475	379	30	182	28	101	97	200	20	105
Thurs Feb 10	595	326	41	249	48	98	158	188	13	95

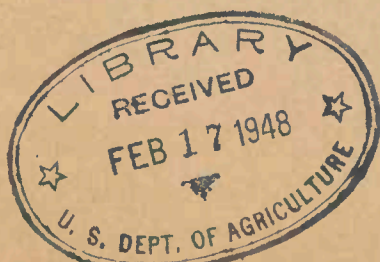
REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies light, demand very slow, market slightly weaker and unsettled. On track 146; arrived 4 Colo, 39 Ida, 1 Mich, 9 Minn, 1 Mont, 1 Nebr, 11 N Dak, 2 N. Y, 1 Oreg, 1 S Dak, 1 Wash, 10 Wis; diverted 49. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, 1 car heavy to large size \$3.35; washed, 1 car, medium size \$3.25; Idaho Standard grade, unwashed, very few sales \$2.60; Idaho Utility grade, unwashed, very few sales \$2.10-2.20; 1 car washed \$2.25; Colo and N Dak- no sales reported. Wis Green Mountains and Round Whites, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, very few sales \$2.35. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow, market slightly weaker. On track 5; arrived 7 Fla; diverted 2. Track sales, less carlots: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, very few sales, US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.10; US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.90.

KANSAS CITY: Idaho stock market dull; others market weak. On track 32; arrived 7 Colo, 9 Ida, 6 Minn, 2 Nebr, 9 N Dak, 2 S D, 1 Utah; diverted 35. Late sales Wed- carlot sales and carlot sales to outside points, Kansas City basis: Idaho 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", 1 car \$3.15; US No 2s \$1.96-2.11, mostly \$2.05-2.10; washed, large, 1 car \$2.20; N Dak. Early Ohios, US Commercial, 1 car \$2.37, 1 car \$3.50; Cobblers, US Com'l, \$2.35-2.57; Triumphs, US Com'l, 1 car \$2.25; Nebr Triumphs, US 2s, washed \$2.25-2.33.  
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 Local Representative

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Fri., Feb. 16, 1944

MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX, No. 34.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 17.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 12, Colo 34, Conn 3, Fla 32, Idaho 103 frt, 11 mfr, Ind 2, Maine 244 frt, 13 Government Purchases, 4 mfr, Mich 18 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Minn 78 frt, 13 Government Purchase, Mont 3, Nebr 23, Nev 8, Long Island 18, N.Y. 13, N.D. 101 frt, 13 Government Purchases, Ore 26 frt, 1 mfr, S.D. 3, Utah 4, Wash 9, Wis 15 frt, 4 Government Purchases, Wyo 4, total US 755 frt, 44 Government Purchases, 16 mfr; unreported 16th Utah 1; unreported 15th Long Island 1 Boat. APPLES: N. Y. 13, Ore 6, Penn 6, Va 10, Wash 79 frt, 1 mfr, total US 117 frt, 1 mfr. BEANS, SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 42, total US 42. CABBAGE: Ariz 5, Calif 13, Fla 61, N.Y. 2, Texas 48, 6 Government Purchases, 7 mfr, total US 130 frt, 6 Government Purchases, 7 mfr. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 7, Calif 33, Texas 26, total US 66; unreported 16th Ariz 4. Topped- Ariz 2, N.Y. 4, Texas 4 frt, 1 mfr, total US 13 frt, 1 mfr; unreported 16th Mont 1; deduct 16th Ill 1. CELERY: Calif 17, Fla 107, total US 124; unreported 14th Calif 1. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 8, Fla 69, Texas 110, total US 188; deduct 16th Ariz 3. GREENS: Calif 8, Va 2, total US 11; unreported 16th Va 2. LETTUCE: Ariz 50, Calif 209, Fla 5, total US 264. MIXED CITRUS FRUIT: Calif 3, Fla 53 frt, 17 exp, Texas 19 frt, 2 exp, total US 85 frt, 19 exp; unreported 15th Calif 1. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 11, Calif 37, Colo 3, Fla 65 frt, 5 exp, Ga 5, La 2, Minn 2, Texas 96, total US 225 frt, 5 exp; unreported 16th Ariz 1, Calif 2, total US 3. ONIONS: Colo 15, Idaho 2, Mich 7, Minn 2, N.Y. 20, Ore 2, total US 51. ORANGES: Ariz 5, Calif 181, Fla 246, Texas 13, total US 445; unreported 16th Ariz 2; unreported 15th Calif 4. SPINACH: Texas 35, total US 35. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 2, Ga 2, La 17, N.J. 2, N.C. 2, S.C. 2, Tenn 8, Texas 3, total US 38; unreported 16th N.C. 2 exp. TOMATOES: Fla 27, total US 27; origin not specified 27. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Texas 6, total US 7; Broccoli Tex 1, total US 15, deduct 16th Ariz 1; Cauliflower total US 28; Escarole total US 4; Lemons total US 54 frt, 3 mfr; Pears total US 7; Peas, Green total US 11, origin not specified 7; Peppers total US 11, origin not specified 2; Tangerines total US 2; Turnips and Rutabagas Texas 1, total US 3, origin not specified 9.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 18.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 3 Idaho; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 5 origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif, 2 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas Onions - 2 Mich; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified; Peanuts - 3 Texas. Total Arrived 25.

DIVERTED: Bananas - 3 origin not specified; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif, 2 Ariz; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total Diverted 11.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 3 Idaho; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Celery - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Onions - 1 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified; Peanuts - 3 Texas. Total Unloaded 15.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Idaho; Apples - 1 Wash; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 4 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Texas; Onions - 2 Mich; Oranges - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified. Total On Track 17.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 17.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 1 N.D., 1 Wyo, 1 Utah; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 3 origin not specified; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lettuce - 9 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Minn; Oranges - 2 Calif; Tomatoes - 2 Texas; Broccoli - 1 Texas. Total Arrivals 31.

DIVERTED: Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 3 Calif. Total Diverted 7.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 3 Idaho, 1 N.D., 1 Utah, 1 Wyo, 1 Minn; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 3 origin not specified; Lettuce - 5 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Idaho, 1 Minn. Total Unloaded 16.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 1 N.D., 2 Idaho, 1 Minn; Apples - 2 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 2 Texas; Lemons - 4 Calif; Lettuce - 6 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Minn; Oranges - 1 Texas, 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 2 Texas; Broccoli 1 Texas. Total On Track 28.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 17

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY, Calif. Partly cloudy, cool, occasional light showers. For 5 dozen demand slow, market weak; for 4 dozen demand fairly good at slightly lower prices, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 4-5 dozen, heavy to 5 doz, best mostly \$1.50, some \$1.35-1.40, few lower; heavy to 4 doz \$1.60-1.65, some \$1.75; top ice extra. YUMA DIST, Ariz. Demand slow, market weak. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen, very few sales \$1.40-1.50; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 11° below zero; max 27°; partly cloudy. Light wire inquiry, demand slow, market dull and rather unsettled. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, special mug packs few \$2.61-2.69; others, washed and unwashed \$2.45-2.55; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt \$3.09; 10-lb sacks Russets, Idaho Std. grade, per cwt \$2.79; 100-lb sacks Russets, Ida Std. grade \$2.10-2.12.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Min zero. Light wire inquiry, demand light, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Very few sales, sacked per cwt Red McClures, US No 1s, dark red \$2.69.

FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s & Commercials, size "A" and "B" mostly \$2.50, few \$2.60. DADE CO, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed & US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.65; few higher.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$3.75-4.00.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Foggy, warm. Haulings moderate; for 4 doz and larger demand fair; for 6 doz & smaller practically no demand; market dull and slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed & precooled, 3-4 doz \$2.25, few \$2.40; 6 doz \$2.00-2.25; 3 doz \$1.75-2.00 Pascal type, 6 doz and smaller \$2.10-2.25; precooling 10¢ ext

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Warm, partly cloudy. Haulings very light, demand moderate, market firm. Price to growers, yard sales: Per pint without crates, Missionaries, US No 1s 24-32¢, mostly 26 7/8¢.

SNAP BEANS: See other side. (over)



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APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb Ex Fcy & Fcy, Delicious & Winesaps \$4.05; bulk Winesaps Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.50.  
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 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, Tendergreens \$4.75-5.00. LIMA BEANS: Bu bsks \$8.50.  
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 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.25-1.50.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L. A. crts, 6 doz \$4.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sacks \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-3.00; ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.50-2.75.  
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 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 EGGPLANT: Fla 1 1/2 bu crts, medium to large size \$5.50.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.50-3.00; Pinks 34-70s \$3.75; 80-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. box 80-96s \$5.50.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; 638s \$5.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00; 6 dozen \$4.50.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s, box \$6.50.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.50.

ONION SETS: Ill, 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Red \$6.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias, 150-216's \$3.75-4.38; 252s \$3.50-4.25; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu bsks, 252-324s \$2.75-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 80-176s \$5.25-5.75; 200-220s \$5.00-5.75; 252s \$4.50-5.00; 288s \$4.00-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Fresh English, Tex bu hmpers & bu bsks \$3.50-4.50.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bsks, Fcy, few \$4.35-4.75.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sack \$2.75-3.00; bu bskt \$3.25.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts 90's \$3.00.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers and bsks \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmpers, Yellow \$7.25-8.50, White \$5.25.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TANGERINES: Fla wirebound boxes, all sizes. 1 3/5 bu \$6.00; 4/5 bu \$3.50.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripens and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.25.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 75-90¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$3.25; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Fri Feb 18	464	401	39	162	29	93	89	180	15	78
Fri Feb 11	474	286	43	146	26	82	127	149	8	59

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies light, demand slow, market slightly weaker. On track 150; arrived 3 Colo, 42 Ida, 2 Wis, 4 Minn, 1 Mont, 1 Nebr, 2 N Dak, 2 N. Y., 1 Oreg, 8 Wis, 1 Wyo; diverted 32. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, few sales \$3.10-3.25, mostly \$3.10; washed, large size, few sales \$3.40-3.41; Idaho Utility grade, unwashed, few sales \$2.10-2.20; Mont. Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial, unwashed, 1 car \$2.15; N Dak and Minn Red River Valley Section and Wis- no sales reported. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow, market slightly weaker. On track 5; arrived 3 Fla; diverted 1. Track sales, less carlots: Fla. 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, few sales, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00; US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.90-3.00.

ADDITIONAL F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 17.

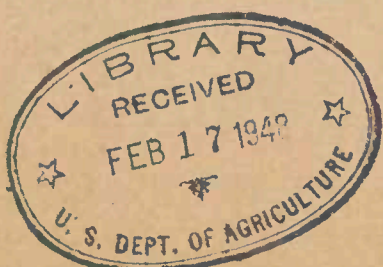
SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Clear, mild. Haulings moderate, demand fair, market firm. Sales to local buyers: Bu hmpers, Bountifuls, fair quality \$1.50; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.45; fair quality \$3.25; ordinary qlty \$2.25, poorer \$1.75; Plentifuls \$2.50-2.75; fair qlty \$2.00-2.25; ordinary qlty \$1.50-1.75; Tendergreens \$1.50-2.25; fair qlty \$1.75-2.00; ordinary qlty \$1.50; Wax, flat type \$2.75.

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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN - Vol. XXX No 35.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR FRIDAY, Feb. 18.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 34, Colo 31, Conn 8, Fla 35, Idaho 178 frt, 10 mfr, Maine 270 frt, 28 Government Purchases, 3 mfr, Mich 18, Minn 57 frt, 7 Government Purchases, Mont 3, Nebr 29, Long Island 18, N.Y. 8, N.D. 136 frt, 5 Government Purchases, Ohio 2, Ore 19, Pa 2, S.D. 2, Utah 4, Wash 12, Wisc 4 frt, 2 Government Purchases, Wyo 7, total US 881 frt, 42 Government Purchases, 13 mfr; origin not specified 6; unreported 17th Idaho 80, ore 2, Wis 1, total US 83; unreported 16th Ore 3. APPLES: Calif 3, Mass 2, N.Y. 11, Ore 3, Pa 5, Va 11, Wash 82 frt, 1 mfr, W. Va 4, total US 121 frt, 1 mfr. BEANS, SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 34, total US 34. CABBAGE: Ariz 2, Calif 7, Fla 73, Tex 43 frt, 13 Government Purchases, 6 mfr, total US 125 frt, 13 Government Purchases, 6 mfr; unreported 17th Texas 2. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 6, Calif 26, Texas 29, total US 61. Topped- Ariz 5, Calif 5, N.Y. 4, Texas 5 frt, 2 mfr, Utah 2, total US 23 frt, 2 mfr. CELERY: Calif 22, Fla 99, total US 121; unreported 17th Calif 1. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 5, Fla 64, Tex 127, total US 197. GREENS: Calif 2, Va 3, total US 6. LETTUCE: Ariz 36, Calif 125, Fla 5, Tex 1, total US 167. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 3, Fla 89 frt, 17 exp, Tex 18 frt, 3 exp, total US 111 frt, 20 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 13, Calif 41, Colo 5, Fla 50 frt, 5 exp, Idaho 3, La 5, Minn 5, Tex 101, total US 226 frt, 5 exp; unreported 17th Tex 6. ONIONS: Colo 7, Idaho 2, Mich 7, N.Y. 14, Ore 4, total US 36. ORANGES: Ariz 4, Calif 159, Fla 285, Tex 14, total US 462. SPINACH: Tex 33 frt, 6 mfr, total US 33 frt, 6 mfr; unreported 17th Tex 3 frt, 3 mfr, total US 6. SWEET POTATOES: La 18, N.J. 2, Tenn 4, Tex 5, total US 32. TOMATOES: Fla 39, total US 39; origin not specified 11. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Tex 7, total US 7, unreported 17th Tex 5; Broccoli total US 11; Cauliflower total US 27; Escarole total US 15; Lemons total US 44; Mixed Deciduous total US 1; Pears total US 19; Green Peas total US 9, origin not specified 18; Peppers total US 18; Tangerines total US 2; Turnips and Rutabagas total US 1, origin not specified 14.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SATURDAY, Feb. 19.

POTATOES: Calif 45, Colo 25, Conn 2, Fla 16, Ida 188 frt, 15 mfr, Maine 305 frt, 22 Government Purchases, 4 mfr, Mass 1 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Mich 20 frt, 4 mfr, Minn 82, Mont 2, Nebr 25, Nev 7, N.H. 3, Long Island 27, N.Y. 4, N.D. 120, Ore 27, Pa 7, Utah 12, Wash 19 frt, 1 mfr, Wisc 7, Wyo 10, total US 955 frt, 27 Government Purchases, 21 mfr; origin not specified 1; unreported 18th S.D. 3, Wisc 2, total US 5; unreported 16th N.Y. 2. APPLES: Calif 2, N.Y. 5, Ore 3, Pa 2, Va 12, Wash 86, total US 111; unreported 18th Wash 8, total US 8. CABBAGE: Calif 2, Fla 69, La 2, Tex 24 frt, 14 Government Purchases, total US 99 frt, 14 Government Purchases. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 9, Calif 21, Tex 13, total US 43; unreported 18th Calif 4. Topped- Ariz 4, N.Y. 3 frt, 1 Government Purchase, 1 mfr, Tex 2, total US 12 frt, 1 Government Purchase, 1 mfr; deduct 18th Calif 4. CELERY: Calif 18, Fla 50, total US 68. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 7, Calif 1, Fla 50, Tex 103, total US 161. GREENS: Calif 4, Fla 2, Va 8, total US 14. LETTUCE: Ariz 37, Calif 168, Fla 2, total US 207. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 4, Fla 59 frt, 14 exp, Tex 18 frt, 2 exp, total 82 frt, 16 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 16, Calif 41, Colo 2, Fla 46 frt, 4 exp, Pa 3, Minn 2, Tex 54, total US 170 frt, 4 exp. ONIONS: Colo 10, Idaho 3, Ill 2, Mich 4, Minn 2, N.Y. 20, Ore 6, total US 47. ORANGES: Ariz 7, Calif 192, Fla 274, Tex 6, total US 479. SPINACH: Tex 12, total US 12; unreported 17th Tex 2 mfr. SWEET POTATOES: La 21, N.J. 2, N.C. 2, Tenn 5, Tex 3, total US 37. TOMATOES: Fla 44, total US 44; origin not specified 29. MISCELLANEOUS: Beans, Snap & Lima total US 34; Beets Tex 2, total US 2; Broccoli total US 12, unreported 18th Ariz 2; Cauliflower total US 18; Eggplant total US 1; Escarole total US 7; Lemons total US 52 frt, 2 mfr; Mixed Deciduous deduct 18th Wash 1; Pears total US 8, deduct 18th Wash 10; Peas, Green total US 6, origin not specified 30; Peppers total US 7; Strawberries total US 1 exp; Tangerines total US 1; Turnips & Rutabagas total US 1, origin not specified 13.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SUNDAY, Feb. 20.

POTATOES: Calif 1, Fla 2, Ida 4, Maine 2, Nebr 10, Ore 1 frt, 3 mfr, Utah 2, total US 24 frt, 3 mfr. APPLES: Wash 15, total US 16. BEANS, SNAP & LIMA: Fla 15, total US 15. CABBAGE: Calif 3, Fla 1 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Tex 1, total US 5 frt, 1 Government Purchase. CARROTS: Bunched- Calif 2, Tex 2, total US 4. Topped- Ore 1, total US 1. CELERY: Calif 6, Fla 1, total US 8. GRAPEFRUIT: Fla 3, total US 3. GREENS: Mich 1, total US 1. LETTUCE: Calif 17, Fla 2, total US 19. MIXED CITRUS: Fla 7 frt, 19 exp, total US 8 frt, 19 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 4, Calif 6, Fla 3 frt, 6 exp, Tex 1, total US 14 frt, 6 exp. ONIONS: Ore 1, total US 1. ORANGES: Calif 17, Fla 21, total US 38. SWEET POTATOES: La 2, total US 4. SPINACH: Tex 1 mfr, total US 1 mfr. TOMATOES: Fla 10, total US 10; origin not specified 41. MISCELLANEOUS: Broccoli total US 2; Lemons total US 11; Pears total US 1; Peas, Green total US 6, origin not specified 1; Peppers origin not specified 3; Turnips and Rutabagas origin not specified 2.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 72 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 21.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 2 Minn, 5 Ida, 2 N.D.; Apples - 3 Wash, 1 Ore; Bananas - 4 origin not specified; Cabbage - 2 Tex; Lettuce - 12 Calif, 2 Ariz; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 3 Tex, 3 Calif; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified; Peanuts - 1 Texas. Total Arrived 45.

DIVERTED: Apples - 1 Wash; Lettuce - 5 Calif; Oranges - 1 Tex. Total Diverted 7.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 2 Minn, 2 N.D., 3 Idah; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Cabbage - 2 Tex; Lettuce - 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Onions - 2 Mich; Oranges - 2 Tex, 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 3 origin not specified; Peanuts - 1 Tex. Total Unloads 24.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 5 Idah; Apples - 2 Wash, 1 Ore; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Lettuce - 10 Calif, 2 Ariz; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Texas. Total On Track 27.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 19.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Utah, 4 Ida, 1 N.D.; Apples - 3 Wash; Bananas - 5 origin not specified; Cabbage - 2 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Calif, 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 4 Tex; Lemons - 11 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Ariz, 1 Calif; Oranges - 3 Tex, 9 Calif, 1 Ariz; Rutabagas - 1 Tex; Peas - 1 origin not specified.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Minn; Lemons - 11 Calif; Oranges - 7, Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Tex. Total Diversions 20.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Colo, 1 Utah, 6 Idah, 2 N.D.; Apples - 4 Wash; Bananas - 5 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 2 Fla, 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 6 Tex; Lemons - 11 Calif; Lettuce - 6 Calif, 3 Ariz; Mixed Veggies - 1 Minn; Oranges - 4 Tex, 3 Calif, 1 Ariz; Rutabagas - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Tex; Peas - 1 origin not specified. Total Unloads 53.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Lemons - 3 Calif; Lett - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Veggies - 1 Minn; Broccoli - 1 Tex. Total 10.



LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb Ex Fcy & Fcy Delicious & Winesaps \$4.05; bulk Winesaps Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.

AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.35

BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; fair qlty \$5.50; cut off \$7.30; Central America \$3.25 per 40-lb crt.

BEANS SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens & Valentines \$4.75-5.00.

BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.00; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$1.75-2.00.

BROCCOLI: Tex Pony crts, 24s \$3.25

BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.

CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.00-1.25.

CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bskts, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.

CARROTS: Tex L. A. Crts, 6 doz \$3.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sacks \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.

CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-3.00; ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.75.

CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50

Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00.

COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.

COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.

CUCUMBERS: Hothouse Ind. boxes 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.

GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.

GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes 54-126s \$2.50-3.00; Pinks 54-80s \$3.50-3.85; 96-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. boxes 80-96s \$3.50.

LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; 638s \$5.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.

LETTUCE: L. A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00; 6 doz \$4.00.

LIMES: Mexico 600s box \$6.50.

MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.

MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts 5 doz \$3.00.

GREEN ONIONS: Yex per doz bnch 80-90¢.

ONIONS: No supplies.

ONION PLANTS: Tex crystal white wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.00.

ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Reds \$6.00.

ORANGES: Tex valencias 150-216s \$3.75-4.38; 252s \$3.50-4.25; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples bu bskts 252-324s \$2.50-3.50; Calif Navels boxes 80-176s \$5.25-5.75; 200-220s \$5.00-5.75; 252s \$4.50-5.00; 288s \$4.00-5.00; 344-392 \$3.50-3.75.

PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.

PEAS: Fresh Englis, Tex bu hmprs & bu bskts \$3.50-4.50.

PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.

PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bskts, Fcy, few \$4.35-4.75.

PEPPERS: Hot° Tex small per lb 20-25¢.

POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50;

Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75;

Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50;

Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed, 50-lb sack \$2.75-3.00; bu bskt \$3.25.

RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts 90s \$3.00.

RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, w shed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.

SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs and bskts \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.

SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmprs, White \$5.00

SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts US No 1s \$3.75-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50;

US No 2s \$3.25; bu bskts, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.

TANGERINES: Fla wirebound boxes, all size 1 3/5 bu \$6.00; 4/5 bu \$3.50.

TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripens and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50;

fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.

TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.

TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$2.75; Topped, Tex bu bskts, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Mon Feb 21	699	433	39	221	34	109	92	213	29	120
Mon Feb 14	692	373	25	266	44	127	121	200	14	125

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand very slow, and limited mostly to best quality stock. Market dull and weak. On track 194; arrived Colo 9, Ida 52, Mich 5, Minn 15, Mont 4, Nebr 8, N.Y. 7, N.D. 36, S.D. 2, Wis 13, Wyo 3; Diverted 38. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car large \$3.35; car unwashed \$3.00; Idaho Utility Grade, washed, 1 car \$2.15; Colo Red McClures, US No 1 A car jobbed \$3.45; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, few sales, jobbed \$3.42-3.49; N.D. Red River Valley Sect, Bliss Triumphs, car, war approved seed \$2.10; Cobblers, car war approved seed \$2.20; Wisc Chippewas, car good qlty, unwashed, \$2.30. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand very slow, market slightly weaker. On track 7; arrived Fla 7; diverted 1. No sales reported. Street sales: few Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00-3.15, few \$3.25, mostly \$3.10; US No 1s size "B" \$2.75-3.00; bu crts Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A" \$3.15-3.35, few higher.

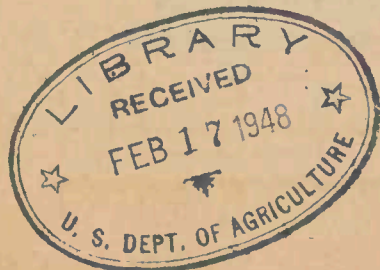
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Tues., Feb. 22, 1944

MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX. No. 36

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 21.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

**POTATOES:** Calif 19, Colo 21, Conn 8, Fla 22, Ida 149 com'l, 5 manf, Ind 2, Maine 135 com'l, 12 Govt purchases, 1 manf, Mich 3, Minn 87 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Md 3, Nebr 14, Long Island 18 frt, 11 boat, N Y 6, N Dak 144, Oreg 23 com'l, 1 manf, S Dak 5, Wash 7, Wis 13 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Wyo 5, total US 747 com'l, 14 Govt purchases, 11 boat, 7 manf; origin not specified 3. Total to Date: This Season US old 225,007, new 1,185; Total to Date: Last Season, US old 170,493 including 967 Govt purchases, new 804. **APPLES:** Calif 3, Ill 3, Mass 3, Mich 2, N Y 9, Oreg 5, Pa 3, Va 21, Wash 78 com'l, 2 manf, total US 128 com'l, 2 manf; this season US 27,858 including 10 Govt purchases; Last Season US 38,212. **SNAP BEANS & LIMAS:** Fla 19, total US 19; this season US 3,832; last season US 3,341. **CABBAGE:** Ariz 1, Fla 18, Tex 42 com'l, 4 Govt purchases, 3 manf, total US 61 com'l, 4 Govt purchases, 3 manf; this season US old 22,468 including 79 Govt purchases new 5,188; last season US old 24,761 including 7 Govt purchases, new 3,923. **CARROTS:** Bunched- Ariz 8, Calif unreported, Tex 10, total US 18; this season US old 24,475, new 4,952; last season US old 19,360 including 45 Govt purchases, new 5,729. Topped- N Y 3 com'l, 1 manf, Oreg 2, Tex 2, total US 7 com'l, 1 manf; unreported 19th N Y 1. **CELERY:** Calif 13, Fla 68, total US 81; this season US 9,008; last season US 7,933. **GRAPEFRUIT:** Ariz 2, Calif 1, Fla 43, Tex 84, total US 130; this season US 16,222 including 7 Govt purchases; last season US 16,107. **LETTUCE:** Ariz, Yuma Dist 35, Calif 1 incomplete, Tex 1, total US 37; deduct from 19th Ariz, Yuma Dist 10; this season US 24,074; last season US 20,644. **MIXED CITRUS:** Calif 2, Fla 40 frt, 8 exp, Tex 14 frt, 2 exp, total US 56 frt, 10 exp; unreported 20th Fla 1; this season US 13,817; last season US 11,417. **MIXED VEGETABLES:** Ariz 4 Calif 8 incomplete, Colo 3, Fla 31 frt, 1 exp, La 1, Tex 59, total US 108 frt, 1 exp; this season US 10,407; last season US 7,182. **ONIONS:** Colo 14, Minn 5, N Y 24, Oreg 2, total US 47; this season US 23,407 including 68 Govt purchases; last season US 30,359. **ORANGES:** Ariz 2, Calif 75 incomplete, Fla 172, Tex 5, total US 254; unreported 20th Fla 2; this season US 41,055; last season US 32,835. **SPINACH:** Tex 28 com'l, 3 manf, total US 31; this season US 3,648; last season US 2,800. **SWEET POTATOES:** La 12, S C 2, Tenn 3, Tex 1, total US 18; unreported 19th N C 1 exp; this season US 7,394; last season US 7,479. **TOMATOES:** Fla 11, total US 11; origin not specified 11; this season US 1,856; last season US 1,909. **MISCELLANEOUS:** Beets Tex 1, total US 1; Broccoli US 3; Cauliflower US 24; Escarole US 6; Greens Tex 1, total US 13; Lemons US 16 com'l incomplete, 2 manf; Pears US 6; Green Peas US 3; origin not specified 28; Peppers US 15; origin not specified 1; Turnips and Rutabagas US none; origin not specified 24.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 22.

**ARRIVED:** Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 1 Colo; Bananas- 1 Origin not specified; Lettuce - 5 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex. Total Arrivals 11.

**DIVERTED:** Potatoes - 1 Ida; Lettuce - 1 Calif, 1 Ariz. Total Diverted 3.

**UNLOADED:** Potatoes - 4 Ida, 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Wash, 1 Oreg; Bananas- 2 Origin not specified. Total Unloads 9.

**ON TRACK:** Potatoes - 1 Colo, 2 Ida; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 14 Calif; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 2 Tex, 3 Calif. Total Track 26.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 21.

**ARRIVED:** Potatoes - 1 Utah, 2 Ida, 2 Colo; Apples - 1 Oreg, 3 Wash; Bananas - 4 Origin not specified; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Celery - 2 Fla; Fruit - 2 Tex; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla, 1 Tex; Oranges - 1 Calif, 2 Tex; Tomatoes - 2 Origin not specified; Avocados - 1 Calif; Carrots - 1 Tex; Turnips - 1 Tex; Green Peas - 1 Origin not specified. Total Arrivals 32.

**DIVERTED:** Lemons - 2 Calif. Total Diverted 2.

**UNLOADED:** Potatoes - 1 Ida, 2 Colo; Apples - 3 Wash; Bananas - 4 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lettuce- 3 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Minn, 1 Fla, 1 Tex; Oranges - 2 Tex; Rutabagas - 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 2 Origin not specified; Avocados - 1 Calif; Green Peas - 1 Origin not specified; Broccoli- 1 Tex. Total Unloads 29.

**ON TRACK:** Potatoes - 1 Utah, 1 Ida, 1 Colo; Apples - 1 Oreg, 1 Wash; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemons- 1 Calif; Oranges- 1 Calif; Carrots - 1 Tex. Total Track 11.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 21.

**POTATOES:** IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 8°, Max 41°, snowed during day. Rather light wire inquiry, demand fair, market about steady for best stock. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed and unwashed \$2.40-2.60, mostly \$2.45-2.55; 10-lb s cks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt \$3.09; 10-lb sacks, Ida std. grade, per cwt \$2.79.

**SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo.** Partly cloudy, min 6°. Light wire inquiry, demand light, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s, dark red \$2.69; pale color, new \$2.64; shippers estimate only 10% of crop remains for shipment balance season, with less than one-half this amount. US No. 1 quality.

**FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla.** Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Triumphs, US No 1s & US Commercial, brushed, size "A" and "B" mostly \$2.50.

**CELERY:** SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Cloudy, mild. Haulings moderate; for 4 doz & lgr demand moderate; for 6 doz & smaller demand light, market about steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled, Golden Heart, 3-4 doz \$2.00-2.25; 6 doz \$1.90-2.00; 8 doz \$1.75-1.85; 10 doz-no sales reported; Pascal type, 4 doz & lgr \$2.25; precooling 10% extra.

**SNAP BEANS:** POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Clear, warm. Haulings moderate; for best stock demand moderate, market steady; others demand slow, market dull. Sales to local buyers: Most offerings fair quality, bu lumps, Bountifuls \$2.25-2.50; ordinary qlty \$2.00, poorer \$1.40-1.65; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.45; fair qlty \$3.00-3.25; Plentifuls, some fair qlty \$2.75-3.00, ordinary qlty \$2.25-2.50, poorer \$1.50-2.00; Tendergreens, fair qlty \$2.00-2.25; Wax, flat type, some fair qlty \$2.75-3.00, ordinary qlty \$2.00-2.50.

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LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET. IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb Ex Fcy & Fcy & C grade, Delicious \$3.96; Fcy Delicious & Winesaps \$4.05. Bulk, Winesaps, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.35.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; cut off \$7.30; Central America \$7.50.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens & Valentines \$4.75-5.00.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-85¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.00; Topped, per bu bsht or sack \$1.75-2.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.00-1.25.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bshts, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$3.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bsht & sack \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.50-3.00; ord to fair qlty & cond \$1.50-2.00; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.75.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50; Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hothouse Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh. Seedless, boxes, 54-126s \$2.50-3.00; Pinks 54-80s \$3.50-3.85; 96-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. boxes 80-96s \$5.50.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; 638s \$5.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley, 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00; 6 doz \$4.00.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts 5 doz \$3.00.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Max, crts, approx. 6,000 \$4.50-5.00.

ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$9.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-6.75; Reds \$6.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias 150-216s \$5.75-5.45; 252s \$3.50-4.25; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu bshts 252-324s \$2.50-3.50; Calif navels, boxes 20-176s \$5.25-5.75; 200-220s \$5.00-5.75; 252s \$4.50-5.00; 288s \$4.00-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Practically no supplies English.  
 PEAS: Blackeye, Tex 10¢ lb.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bshts, Fcy, few \$4.35-5.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop; Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00; bu bshts \$3.25.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts 90's \$3.00.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs & bshts \$1.25-1.75, mostly \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmprs, White few \$5.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts US No 1s \$3.75-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bshts, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ord qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TANGERINES: Fla wirebound boxes, all size 1 3/5 bu \$5.00.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripens and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 65-90¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$2.75; Topped, Tex bu bshts, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Tues Feb 22 No track report account holiday  
 Tues Feb 15 667 337 28 226 47 101 126 190 19 103

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

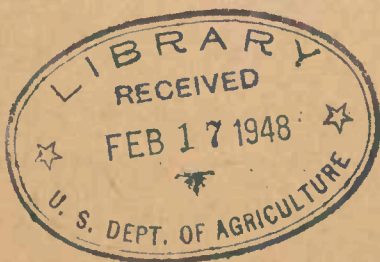
POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand very slow, market dull and weak. On track 224; arrived 9 Colo, 48 Ida, 4 Wis, 23 Minn, 1 Nebr, 2 N Y, 32 N Dak, 2 S Dak, 5 Wis, 1 Wyo; diverted 57. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s, unwashed, siz "A", very few sales, best \$2.90-3.15; Idaho Utility grade, unwashed, few sales \$2.00-2.07; 1 car, washed \$2.10; Mich Russet Rurals, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, very few sales \$2.20-2.25; N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, War Approved seed, unwashed, very few sales \$1.90-2.10; Cobblers, 1 car War Approved seed \$2.35; Wis Chippewas, 1 car US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$2.30; 1 car 90% US 1 quality, unwashed \$2.25. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand very light, market dull. On track 2; arrived 2 Fla. 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, very few sales, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00-3.25, few low as \$2.75; US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.75-3.00; bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.25-3.40.

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Wed., Feb. 23, 1944

MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX- No. 37

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, Feb. 22

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

**POTATOES:** Calif 23, Colo 28, Fla 33, Ida 134 com'l, 14 manf, Maine 270 com'l, 20 Govt purchases, 7 manf, Mich 5, Minn 5, Nebr 38, Nev 4, Long Island 6, N Y 7, Oreg 20 com'l, 2 manf, Pa 2, Utah 2, Wash 10, Wis 6, Wyo 6, total US 601 com'l, 22 Govt purchases, 23 manf; unreported 21st Calif 2, Ida 3, Mich 12, Utah 6, total US 25; deduct from 21st N Dak 10. **APPLES:** Calif 2, N Y 9, Oreg 8, Pa 3, Va 3, Wash 104 com'l, 1 manf, W Va 4, total US 135 com'l, 1 manf. **BROCCOLI:** Ariz 5, Calif 3, total US 8; unreported 21st Calif 2. **CABBAGE:** Ariz 1, Calif 78, Fla 44, Tex 63 com'l, 3 Govt purchases, 6 manf, 1 exp, total US 186 com'l, 3 Govt purchases, 6 manf, 1 exp; unreported 21st Calif 5, Tex 1, total 6; unreported 19th Fla 17 Govt purchases, Tex 1, total 18; unreported 18th Fla 11 Govt purchases; deduct from 19th Fla 17 com'l; from 18th Fla 11 com'l. **CARROTS:** Bunched- Ariz 3, Calif 14, Tex 34, total US 51; unreported 21st Ariz 1, Calif 16, total 17. Topped- N Y 2 com'l, 2 manf, Oreg 3, Tex 2 com'l, 1 manf, Wash 1, total US 4 com'l, 3 manf. **CELERY:** Calif 8, Fla 104, total US 112; unreported 21st Calif 2. **GRAPEFRUIT:** Ariz 4, Calif 2, Fla 70, Tex 127, total US 203; unreported 21st Ariz 4 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, total 5. **LETTUCE:** Ariz, Yuma Dist 42, Phoenix Dist 1, Calif 144, Fla 2, total US 189; unreported 21st Calif 185; unreported 19th Tex 1. **MIXED CITRUS:** Calif 1, Fla 49 frt, 20 exp, Tex 18 frt, 2 exp, total US 68 frt, 22 exp; unreported 21st Calif 3. **MIXED VEGETABLES:** Ariz 7, Calif 14, Colo 2, Fla 57 frt, 6 exp, Ida 5, Iowa 2, La 3, Tex 141, total US 233 frt, 6 exp; origin not specified 2; unreported 21st Ariz 2, Calif 7, total 9; unreported 19th Tex 2; the 18th Tex 3. **ONIONS:** Colo 7, Ida 2, N Y 23, Oreg 2, total US 35; unreported 21st Minn 1; the 19th Origin not specified 1. **ORANGES:** Ariz 1, Calif 49, Fla 258, Tex 15, total US 323; unreported 21st Ariz 1, Calif 78, total 79. **SPINACH:** Tex 36 com'l, 7 manf, total US 36 com'l, 7 manf. **SWEET POTATOES:** Ga 2, La 13, N C 1 frt, 1 exp, S C 2, Tenn 5, Tex 5, total US 28 frt, 1 exp; unreported 21st N C 1 exp. **TOMATOES:** Fla 30, total US 30; origin not specified 40. **MISCELLANEOUS:** Snap Beans and Limas US 28; Beets Tex 10, total US 10 com'l, 1 Govt purchases; Cauliflower US 17; Green Corn, unreported 19th US 1; Eggplant, origin not specified 1; Escarole US 11; Greens US 4; Lemons US 30 com'l, 4 manf; unreported 21st US 10; Pears US 12; Green Peas US 16; origin not specified 24; unreported 21st US 3; Peppers US 16; origin not specified 2; Turnips & Rutabagas, origin not specified 5.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 23

**ARRIVED:** Potatoes - 1 N Dak, 1 Idaho; Apples - 1 Oreg, 2 Wash; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified. Total Arrivals 11.

**DIVERTED:** Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 5 Calif. Total Diverted 6.

**UNLOADED:** Potatoes - 1 Colo, 1 Ida; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla; Onions - 1 Mich; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex. Total Unloads 10.

**ON TRACK:** Potatoes - 1 N Dak, 2 Ida; Apples - 2 Wash, 1 Oreg; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla; Lettuce - 8 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Tex; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified 1. Total Track 21.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 22.

**ARRIVED:** Potatoes - 3 Ida, 1 Wyo, 1 Nebr; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex, 1 Fla; Oranges - 1 Calif, 1 Tex. Total Arrivals 19.

**DIVERTED:** Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Tex. Total Diverted 5.

**UNLOADED:** Potatoes - 1 Wyo, 1 Idaho; Apples - 1 Oreg; Bananas - 1 Origin not specified; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemon 1 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Fla. Total Unloads 11.

**ON TRACK:** Potatoes - 3 Ida, 1 Utah, 1 Colo, 1 Nebr; Apples - 1 Wash; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Carrots - 1 Tex. Total Track 14.

F.C.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR TUESDAY, Feb. 22.

**LETTUCE:** IMPERIAL VALLEY. MONDAY- Cool, cloudy. Demand good for 4 doz, fair for best 5 doz; market about steady. Sales f.c.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz, heavy to 5 mostly \$1.75, some with four doz \$2.00; heavy 4 doz mostly \$2.00; top ice extra. TUESDAY: Trading limited mostly at unchanged prices, some net wire sales 4-5 heavy 5 doz lower. YUMA DIST: MONDAY) Demand good, market firm. Sales f.c.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz \$1.75-2.00; top ice extra. Tuesday unreported.

**POTATOES:** IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 20°, Max 35°, light snow flurries Trading light partly account of holiday, many offices closed; complete report unavailable but little change in prices reported; many pres. shipments are from previous sales.

**FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla.** Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.c.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Triumphs, US No 1s & US Commercial, brushed, size "A" and "B" mostly \$2.50.

**CELERY:** SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Clear, warm. Haulings rather heavy; 4 doz & lgr demand moderate; 5 doz & smaller demand light; market about steady. Sales f.c.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 4 doz & lgr \$2.00-2.25; 6 doz \$1.75-2.35, mostly \$1.85-2.10; 8 doz \$1.60-1.75; Pascal type, 4 doz & larger \$2.20-2.50; 5 doz & smaller- no sales reported; precooling 10¢ extra.

**TOMATOES:** LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand moderate, market steady. Sales f.c.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$3.65-4.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$5.75-4.00.

**SNAP BEANS:** POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Clear, warm. Haulings moderate, demand fair, market about steady. Sales to local buyers: Most offerings fair quality; but limps, Bountifuls, fair quality \$1.60-2.00, ordinary qty \$1.50; Stringless Black Valentine fair qty \$2.00-3.25; ordinary qty \$2.00-2.50, poorer \$1.50; Plentifuls \$2.75-3.00; fair qty \$2.25-2.50, ordinary qty \$1.50-2.00, poorer \$1.40; Tendergreens, fair qty \$2.35-2.65, ordinary quality \$2.25, poorer \$1.50; Wax, flat type, fair quality \$2.50, poorer \$1.50.

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LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb-Ex Fcy & Fcy, Delicious & Winesaps \$4.05, "C" grade Delicious \$3.96. Bulk, Winesaps, Comb-Ex Fcy & Fcy \$9.00 per cwt.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$5.00-3.35.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Mex \$6.75; cut off \$7.30; Central America \$7.50.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, Tendergreens & Valentines \$4.50-4.96.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-85¢; L.A. crt 5 doz \$2.00; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$1.75-2.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-5.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.00-1.25.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$3.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.50.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50; Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00; Calif 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 3-4 doz \$5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes, 54-126s \$2.50-3.25; Pinks 54-80s \$3.50-3.85; 96-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. boxes 54-80s \$3.50-4.25.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; 628s \$5.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley, 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00; 6 doz \$4.00.  
 LINES: Mexico 600s box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: No per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 80-90¢.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 5,000 \$4.50-5.00.

ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.25; Yellows \$6.00-5.75.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias 150-216s \$3.75-4.38; 252s \$3.50-4.25; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu bsks 252-324s \$2.50-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 100-176s \$5.25-5.75; 200-220s \$5.00-5.75; 252s \$4.50-5.00; 288s \$4.00-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50-3.75.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bsks, Fcy, few \$4.35-5.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$1.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00; bu bsks \$3.25.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs and bsks \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla Summer, bu hmprs, White few \$5.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; US No 2s \$3.25; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ordinary qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TANGERINES: Practically no supplies.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$2.75; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Grapes Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

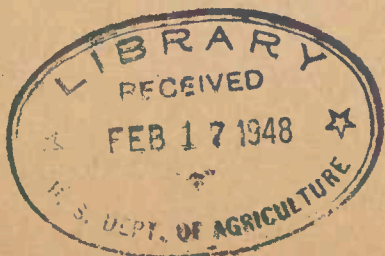
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Wed Feb 16	559	352	31	204	40	111	110	180	21	90

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow, market weak. On track 242; arrived 5 Colo, 51 Ida, 6 Mich, 6 Minn, 3 Mont, 1 Mo, 4 Nebr, 28 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 1 Wash, 5 Wis; diverted 55. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$2.75-2.85; 1 car heavy to large size \$3.10; Idaho Standard grade, unwashed, few sales \$2.35-2.40; Idaho Utility grade, washed and unwashed, few sales \$2.15; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car pale color \$3.00; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.45; N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 1 car 88% US No 1 quality, unwashed \$2.00; 1 car pickouts, unwashed \$1.55; Cobblers- no sales reported; Wis Chippewas, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, 1 car \$2.35. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow, market dull. On track 4; arrived 4 Fla; diverted 1. Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, 1 car mixed US No 1s size "A", washed \$2.95; US No 1s size "B" \$2.75. Street sales: Few sales, Fla. 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00-3.25; US No 1s size "B" washed \$3.00-3.15, few \$3.25; bushel crates, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.25-3.35; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.00-3.25.  
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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX- No. 38

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 23.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 24, Colo 18, Conn 22, Fla 32, Ida 175 com'l, 10 manf, Ind 2, Maine 273 com'l, 22 Govt purchases, 2 manf, Mich 18 com'l, 3 Govt purchases, Minn 134, Mont 8, Nebr 29, Long Island 14, N Y 18, N Dak 144 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Oreg 27 com'l, 1 manf, S Dak 2, Utah 7, Wash 7, Wis 15, Wyo 7, total US 978 com'l, 27 Govt purchases, 13 manf; unreported 22nd Ida 2, Mich 1, Minn 59, N Dak 96, Wis 7, total 165; unreported 21st Conn 5 Govt purchases, Ind 1, Mass 1 Govt pur, Oreg 1, total 8; the 19th Ind 3; the 18th Ind 2; deduct from 21st Conn 5 com'l, Mass 1 total 6 com'l. APPLES: Mich 2, N Y 8, Oreg 10, Va 11, Wash 93, W Va 2, total US 128; unreported 22nd Wash 1. CABBAGE: Calif 9, Fla 56 com'l, 1 Govt purchase, Tex 56 com'l, 6 Govt purchases, 7 manf, total US 121 com'l, 7 Govt purchases, 7 manf; deduct from 22nd Calif 73. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 7, Calif 17, Tex 48, total US 72. Topped- Ariz 2, Oreg 3, Tex 7 com'l, 2 manf, total US 13 com'l, 2 manf. CELERY: Calif 8, Fla 102, total US 110. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 3, Calif 6, Fla 68, Tex 119, total US 196; unreported 21st Ariz 1 com'l; deduct Ariz 1 Govt. purchase. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 68, Phoenix Dist 2, Calif 109, Fla 2, total US 181. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 2, Fla 59 frt, 23 exp, Tex 21 frt, 3 exp, total US 82 frt, 26 exp; unreported 22nd Calif 2. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 19, Calif 21, Colo 2, Fla 52 frt, 5 exp, Ga 2, La 5, Tex 132, total US 238 frt, 5 exp; origin not spec. 2. ONIONS: Colo 10, Mich 5, Minn 2, N Y 20, Oreg 1, total US 40. ORANGES: Ariz 6, Calif 118, Fla 286, Tex 17, total US 427; unreported 22nd Calif 91. SPINACH: Tex 59 com'l, 9 manf, total US 68. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, Ga 1, La 20, N C 3 frt, 1 exp, S C 1, Tenn 5; Tex 9, total US 41. TOMATOES: Fla 48, total US 48; origin not specified 68. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 54; Beets Tex 10, total US 10; Broccoli Tex 1, total US 10; Cauliflower US 58; Eggplant, origin not specified 1; Escarole US 14; Grapes US 1; Greens Tex 1, total US 14; Lemons US 48 com'l, 2 manf; unreported 22nd US 5; Pears US 14; Green Peas US 12; origin not specified 17; Peppers US 18; origin not specified 4; Strawberries US 1 exp; Tangerines US 1; Turnips & Rutabagas US 1; origin not specified 8.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 24.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Utah; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 4 Calif; Green Peas - 1 Origin not specified. Total Arrivals 7.

DIVERTED: Apples - 1 Wash; Lettuce - 4 Calif. Total Diverted 5.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Ida; Celery - 1 Fla; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Calif, 1 Tex. Total Unloaded 7.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 N Dak, 1 Utah; Apples - 1 Wash, 1 Oreg; Snap Beans - 1 Fla; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 7 Calif, 1 Ariz; Tomatoes - 1 Origin not specified; Green Peas - 1 Origin not specified. Total Track 16.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 23.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 6 Ida, 4 Colo, 1 Nebr, 1 Maine, 1 Wyo, 1 N Dak; Apples - 3 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 5 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Oranges - 4 Calif, 1 Tex; Avocados - 1 Calif. Total Arrivals 33.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Utah; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 4.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Ida, 4 Colo, 1 Maine, 1 Nebraska; Apples - 2 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 5 Calif; Lettuce - 3 Calif; Oranges - 1 Tex. Total Track 22.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 6 Idaho, 1 Colo, 1 N Dak, 1 Wyo, 1 Nebr; Apples - 2 Wash; Mixed Citrus - 1 Tex; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Oranges - 4 Calif; Avocados - 1 Calif; Carrots - 1 Texas. Total Unloads 21.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR WEDNESDAY, Feb. 23.

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY, Calif. Cool; rained lightly all day. YUMA DIST: Cool, showers during day, heavy late afternoon. Demand good for 4 dz, demand fair for best 5 doz; market unsettled undertone, about steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz, heavy to 5 doz mostly \$1.75; some with 4 doz \$2.00; heavy to 4 doz \$2.00; top doz extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 27°, Max 36°, cloudy. Better wire inquiry, demand fair, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$2.45-2.55, washed, few higher; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt mostly \$3.09; Idaho Standard grade, 10-lb sacks, per cwt \$2.79.

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Clear, 8°. Light wire inquiry, demand light, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures US No 1s, dark red \$2.69; pale color few \$2.64. Most present shipments are from previous sales.

FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Triumphs, US No 1s & US Commercial, brushed, size "A" and "B" mostly \$2.50.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Partly cloudy, warm. Haulings heavy; for 4 doz & lgr demand moderate; for 6 doz & smaller demand light, market about steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 4 doz & larger \$2.00-2.25, few \$2.35; 6 doz \$1.75-2.25; Pascal type, 4 doz & larger \$2.25-2.50; 6 doz & smaller-no sales reported; precooling 10¢ extra.

CHULA VISTA SECTION, Calif. Raining. Demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Pascal type, 14-4 doz, mostly 2-2½ doz, individually washed & precooled, 85% US 1 quality \$3.00-3.25.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand moderate, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$3.65-4.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$3.75-4.00.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Clear, mild. Haulings moderate, demand slow, market dull. Sales to local buyers: Mostly fair qty, bu hmpers, Bountifuls, ord qty \$1.25-1.50; Stringless Black Valentines \$3.00-3.25; ordinary qty \$2.00; Plentifuls, some fair qty \$2.50-3.00; ordinary qty \$2.00-2.25, poorer \$1.40-1.75; Tendergreens, fair qty \$2.00-2.35; ordinary qty \$1.50-1.75; Wax, flat type, fair qty \$2.85, poorer \$1.50-1.75.

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Warm, clear. Haulings moderate, market firm. Price to growers: Missionaries, per pint without crate, US No 1s 25-28¢, mostly 26 3/4¢.

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## LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy, Delicious \$4.05, "C" grade \$3.96.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$3.00-3.35.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Central America \$7.50.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, Tendergreens & Valentines \$4.50-4.96.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-85¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.00; Topped, per bu bsht or sack \$1.75-2.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-5.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.00-1.25, few \$1.50.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bshts, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$3.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bsht & sack \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.50.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50; Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00; Calif 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 3-4 doz \$5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$5.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes, 54-126s \$2.50-3.25; Pinks 54-80s \$3.50-3.85; 96-112s \$5.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. boxes 54-80s \$3.50-4.25.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; 638s \$5.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley, 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00; 6 doz \$4.00.  
 LIMES: Mexico 500s box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 90¢-\$1.00.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.00.

ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias 150-216s \$3.75-4.38; 252s \$3.50-4.00; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu crts 252-324s \$2.50-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 100-220s \$5.50-5.90; 252-288s \$4.75-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bshts, Fcy, few \$4.35-5.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00. New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00; bu bshts \$5.25.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$5.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif boxes, 40-lb. \$3.25.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.50-1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers and bshts \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Practically no supplies.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; bu bshts, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; ordinary qlty \$2.00-2.25.  
 TANGERINES: Practically no supplies.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripe and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$2.75; Topped, Tex bu bshts, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

## COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cal. Cab. Sweet Pot Gfruit

Thurs Feb 24	608	485	38	212	39	97	88	152	24	112
Thurs Feb 17	475	379	30	182	28	101	97	200	20	105

## REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

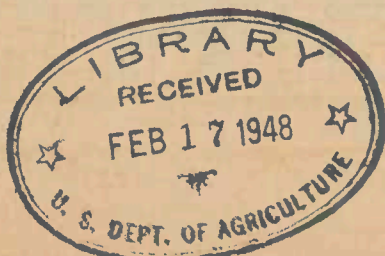
POTATO MARKETS: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow; some receivers holding best stock for slightly higher prices; for Russets market firm and slightly stronger for best stock; for Northern stock market about steady for best; market dull for other stock. On track 200; arrived 7 Colo, 30 Ida, 3 Mich, 3 Nebr, 8 Minn, 19 N Dak, 2 N Y, 1 Oreg, 1 Pa, 2 S Dak, 4 Wis, 1 Wyo; diverted 62. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$2.85-3.00; Idaho Utility grade, 1 car unwashed \$2.15; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.47; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, 85% US No 1 quality, unwashed, very few sales \$2.20-2.25; Cobblers, 1 car 85% US No 1 quality, unwashed \$2.15; Wis Bliss Triumphs, 1 car US Com'l, unwashed \$2.25. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow, market about steady. On track 2; arrived 2 Fla; diverted 1. Track sales, less carlots: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "B", washed, few sales \$2.75. Street sales: Few sales, Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, \$3.00-3.25; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.00-3.15, few \$2.75; bushel crates, Bliss Triumphs US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.25-3.35; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.25.

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POTATOES: Calif 22, Colo 34, Conn 5, Fla 38, Idaho 189 frt, 10 mfr, Ind 2, Maine 351 frt, 20 Government Purchases, 2 mfr, Mich 24, Minn 90, Mont 5, Nebr 40, Nev 3, N.H. 1, Long Island 17, N.Y. 18, N.D. 160 frt, 5 Government Purchases, Ore 20 frt, 2 mfr, S.D. 10, Utah 5, Wash 9, Wis 8 frt, 5 Government Purchase, Wyo 4, total US 1055 frt, 30 Government Purchases, 14 mfr; origin not specified 5; unreported 23rd Iowa 1, Ore 1, Utah 2, total US 4; unreported 22nd Ore 1. APPLES: Mass 1, Mich 2, N.H. 1, N.Y. 16, Ohio 1, Ore 8, Pa 3, Va 5, Wash 99, W.Va 3, total US 139. BEANS, SNAP & LIMA: Fla 52, total US 52. CABBAGE: Calif 1, Fla 75 (subject to correction), Tex 54 com'l, 8 Govt purchases, 8 manf, total US 130 com'l, 8 Govt purchases, 8 manf. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 2, Calif 3, Fla 1, Tex 59, total US 75. Topped- N Y 2 com'l, 1 manf, Oreg 2, Tex 8 com'l, 2 manf, total US 13 com'l 3 manf. CELERY: Calif 9, Fla 83, total US 92. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 4, Calif 3, Fla 80, Tex 122, total US 209. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 23; Calif 21, Fla 1, total US 45. MIXED CITRUS: Fla 65 frt, 21 exp, Tex 25 frt, 3 exp, total US 90 frt, 24 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 13, Calif 15, Fla 51 frt, 6 exp, Minn 5, S C 3, Tex 144, total US 237 frt, 6 exp. ONIONS: Ariz 1, Calif 83, Fla 336, Tex 10, total US 430. SPINACH: Tex 62 com'l, 4 manf, 62 com'l, 4 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Fla 52, total US 52; origin not specified 14. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Tex 11, total US 11; Broccoli US 8; Cauliflower US 54; Escarole US 5; Greens Tex 1, total US 5; Lemons US 59 com'l, 3 manf; Pears US 9; Green Peas Tex 1, total US 4; origin not specified 13; Peppers US 17; Strawberries US 2 exp; Turnips and Rutabagas US 1; origin not specified 6.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 25.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Idaho, 1 Minn; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Texas; Onions - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Texas. Total Arrived 11.

DIVERTED: Lettuce - 5 Calif; Peas - 1 origin not specified. Total Diverted 6.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 N.D.; Apples - 1 Oreg, 1 Wash; Beans, Snap - 1 Fla; Cauliflower - 1 Calif; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Texas; Oranges - 2 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total Unloads 14.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 1 Utah, 1 Idaho, 1 Minn; Bananas - 1 origin not specified; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Onions - 1 Calif. Total On Track 7.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 24.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Nebr, 1 N.D.; Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 3 Texas; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Oranges - 1 Texas; Carrots - 1 Texas. Total Arrivals 14.

DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Maine; Lemons - 1 Calif. Total Diverted 2.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 1 Idaho, 1 Nebr; Apples - 2 Wash; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Celery - 1 Calif; Grapefruit - 3 Texas; Oranges - 1 Texas. Total Unloads 11.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Idaho, 3 Colo, 1 Nebr, 1 N.D.; Apples - 1 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 6 Calif; Lettuce - 5 Calif; Oranges - 1 Texas; Carrots - 1 Tex s. Total On Track 23.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR THURSDAY, Feb. 24.

LETTUCE: BRANLEY, Calif. Practically no haulings account weather; present shipments from previous harvestings. Imperial Valley Med- rained .84 inch during night, during storm 1.14 inches. Yuma- rained Wed night; showers Thursday.

IMPERIAL VALLEY & YUMA DIST: Demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 doz \$2.00; top ice extra.

POTATOES: UPPER VALLEY POINTS. \* Min 15°, Max 32°, cloudy. Moderate wire inquiry, demand moderate, market steady. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-15 sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$2.45-2.55, washed \$2.55-2.69; 10-15 sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", per cwt \$3.09; 10-15 sacks Russets, Idaho standard grade, per cwt \$2.74. \* IDAHO FALLS

SAN LUIS VALLEY, Colo. Clear, 9°. Light wire inquiry, demand slow, market weak. Delivered sales shipping point basis: Sacked per cwt. Red McClures, US No 1s, dark red few \$2.59. Most present shipments are from previous sales.

FT. MYERS SECTION, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s & US Commercial size "A" and "B" \$2.50. DADE CO. Haulings moderate, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed and US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.65, few higher.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVIEDO SECTION, Fla. Cloudy, mild. Haulings heavy, demand fair, market about steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, individually washed and precooled, 4 doz & larger \$2.00-2.25, few \$2.35; 6 doz \$1.75-2.15, mostly \$1.85-2.00; 8 doz \$1.60-2.00; Pascal type, 4 doz & larger \$2.25-2.50; others- no sales reported; precooling 10¢ extra.

CHULA VISTA, Calif. Offerings very light, demand good, market firm. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, Pasaal type, 14-4 doz mostly 2-2 1/2 doz, individually washed and precooled, 85% or more US 1 quality \$3.25.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand moderate, market about steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$3.75-4.00. DANIA-HALLEDALE SECTION: Haulings light, demand moderate, market slightly weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point:

Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00; 6 x 7s \$4.50; 7 x 7s \$4.00.

SNAP BEANS: POMPAÑO SECTION, Fla. Mild, clear. Haulings moderate, demand slow, market dull and slightly weaker. Sales to local buyers: Buhmrs, Bountifuls, few sales \$2.25; Stringless Black Valentines \$2.75-3.00; fair quality \$2.50; Plentiful fair quality \$2.00-2.10, few best \$2.65, poorer \$1.35-1.75; Tendergreens \$2.35-2.50; fair quality \$1.50-1.85; wax, flat type \$4.00-4.25; ordinary quality \$1.75.

STRAWBERRIES: PLANT CITY, Fla. Warm, clear. Haulings very light, demand moderate, market about steady. Price to growers, yard sales: Missionaries, per pint without crate, US No 1s 25-29¢, mostly 27¢.

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LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT QUANTITIES (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy, Delicious \$4.05, "C" grade \$3.96.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-35s \$2.75-3.35.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Central America \$7.50.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, fair qlty Valentines \$4.75; Tendergreens \$4.00.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-85¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.00; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$1.75-2.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-lb drum \$6.00-6.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.00-1.25, few \$1.50.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bskts, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$3.25; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$1.75-2.00; N Mex bu sacks \$2.00.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.50.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00, few \$5.25-5.50; Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00; Calif 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 3-4 doz \$5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$5.00.  
 CUCUMBERS: Eothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes, 54-96s \$2.90-3.25; 112-126s \$2.50-3.00; Pinks 54-80s \$3.50-3.85; 96-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. boxes 54-80s \$3.50-4.25.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-588s \$6.50-7.00; 638s \$5.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley, 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00; 6 doz \$4.00.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 90¢-\$1.00.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.00.  
 ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias 150-216s \$3.75-4.58; 252s \$3.50-4.00; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu crts 252-324s \$2.50-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 100-220s \$5.50-5.90; 252-288s \$4.75-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Mexico bu tubs few \$5.00.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bskts, Fcy, few \$4.35-5.00.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red "C" Clures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.40-3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-3.00, New crop: Tex Triumphs, Victory grade, washed 50-lb sacks \$2.75-3.00; bu bskts \$3.25.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$5.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif boxes, 40-lb. \$3.25.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.50-1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers and bskts \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla bu hmpers few Yellow \$6.00, White \$4.00.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; bu bskts, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; few \$3.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico green, ripen and turning, wrapped, all sizes \$4.00-4.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75; repacked mostly \$4.00-4.50, some high as \$5.50; fair qlty \$3.50-3.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$3.00.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$2.75; Topped, Tex bu bskts, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

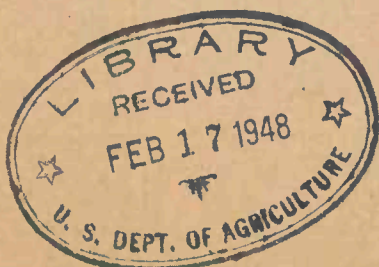
	Pots.	Lett.	Onions	Orags	Toms	Apples	Cel.	Cal.	Sweet Pot	Gfruit
FRI Feb. 25	561	404	40	192	36	83	78	118	23	89
FRI Feb. 18	464	401	39	162	29	93	89	180	15	78

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: On track 184; arrived 3 Colo, 25 Ida, 2 Mich, 11 Minn, 1 Maine, 4 Nebr, 2 N.Y., 23 N Dak, 3 S Dak, 15 Wis, 1 Wyo. Track sales carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Supplies moderate; for best stock Idaho Russets demand moderate, market slightly stronger; for Western Triumphs demand moderate, market firm; for Northern stock demand rather slow, market about steady for best. Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, few sales \$3.20-3.25; few medium size \$2.85; 1 car large size jobbed \$3.41; unwashed, best \$3.00-3.10; Idaho Utility grade, washed and unwashed \$2.00-2.20, best \$2.10-2.20; Nebr and Wyo Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, jobbed \$3.49; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial, unwashed \$2.25; Cobblers, 1 car 85% US 1 quality War Approved Seed \$2.20; pickouts, unwashed, few sales \$1.50-1.70; Mich Round Whites, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, 1 car \$2.30; Wis Chippewas, US No 1s size "A" and generally good qlty, unwashed, few sales \$2.35; Round Whites 1 car fair quality, unwashed, heavy to small sizes \$1.90. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand slow, market about steady. On track 6; arrived 5 Fla. Track sales less carlots: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, few sales, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00; US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.75. Street sales: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00-3.25; few \$2.90; US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.75-3.00; bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.35; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.25.  
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MISCELLANEOUS FRUIT & VEGETABLE BULLETIN- Vol. XXX- No. 40

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR FRIDAY, Feb. 25.  
(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 17, Colo 25, Conn 8, Fla 30, Ida 176 com'l, 9 manf, Ind 2, Maine 338 com'l, 39 Govt purchases, Mich 16, Minn 82 com'l, 7 Govt purchases, Mont 5, Nebr 2, N Y 2, Long Island 5, N Y 10, N Dak 114 com'l, 5 Govt purchases, Oreg 19 com'l, 1 manf, Pa 2, Utah 2, Wash 2, Wis 6 com'l, 1 Govt purchases, Wyo 7, total US 899 com'l, 52 Govt purchases, 10 manf; origin not specified 8; unreported 24th Oreg 1. APPLES: Calif 3, Mass 2, N Y 8, Oreg 5, Va 14, Wash 95, W Va 3, total US 131. SNAP BEANS & LIMAS: Fla 45, total US 45. CABBAGE: Calif 10, Fla 70, Tex 65 com'l, 5 Govt purchases, 8 manf, total US 147 com'l, 5 Govt purchases, 8 manf. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 2, Calif 4, Tex 67, total US 73. Topped- N Y 2 com'l, 1 manf, Oreg 1, Tex 7 com'l, 2 manf, total US 10 com'l, 3 manf. CELERY: Calif 20, Fla 142, total US 162. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 4, Fla 73, Tex 128, total US 205. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 37, Phoenix Dist 1, Calif 77, Fla 4, total US 119. MIXED CITRUS: Ariz 4, Calif 2, Fla 60 frt, 20 exp, Tex 19 frt, 3 exp, total US 85 frt, 23 exp; deduct from 24th Tex 9. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 5, Calif 24, Fla 58 frt, 3 exp, Ga 3, Ida 2, La 3, S C 2, Tex 137, total US 239 frt, 6 exp. ONIONS: Colo 12, Ida 4, Mich 9, N Y 22, Oreg 9, total US 56. ORANGES: Ariz 3, Calif 67, Fla 338, Tex 10, total US 418. SPINACH: Tex 60 com'l, 3 manf, total US 60 com'l, 3 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, Ga 1, La 17, N Jer 1, N C 1 frt, 2 exp, S C 1, Tenn 4, Tex 4, total US 30 frt, 2 exp. TOMATOES: Fla 39, total US 39; origin not specified 16. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 45; Beets Tex 10, total US 10; Broccoli US 4; Cauliflower US 41; Escarole US 8; Greens US 8; Lemons US 49 com'l, 3 manf; Mixed Deciduous Fruit US 1; Pears US 7; Green Peas US 5; origin not specified 14; Peppers US 12; Turnips and Rutabagas US 1; origin not specified 17.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SATURDAY, Feb. 26.

POTATOES: Calif 10, Colo 47, Conn 5, Fla 14, Ida 194 frt, 16 manf, Maine 389 frt, 44 Govt purchases, Mass 2, Mich 23, Minn 104 com'l, 2 Govt purchases, Mont 9, Nebr 7, Long Island 17, N Y 13, N Dak 163 com'l, 11 Govt purchases, Oreg 21 com'l, 1 manf, S Dak 12, Utah 9, Wash 8, Wis 8 com'l, 3 Govt purchases, Wyo 6, total US 1060 com'l, 60 Govt purchases, 17 manf; origin not specified 1; unreported 25th N Y 1, Oreg 1, Wis 2, total 4; the 24th Conn 2 Govt purchases, N Y 1, Utah 1, total 4; unreported 23rd Conn 8 Govt purchases, Mich 1 Govt purchase, total 9; unreported 22nd N Y 1; the 21st N Y 1; deduct from 24th Conn 2; deduct from 23rd Conn 8, Mich 1, total 9 com'l. CABBAGE: Calif 14, Fla 61, N Y 1, Tex 53 com'l, 6 Govt purchases, 3 manf, total US 129 com'l, 6 Govt purchases, 3 manf. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 5, Fla 1, Tex 45, total US 51. Topped- N Y 4 com'l, 1 manf, Tex 3, total US 7 com'l, 1 manf. CELERY: Calif 17, Fla 38, total US 55; unreported 24th Fla 23; unreported 23rd Fla 5. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 2, Calif 1, Fla 41, Tex 111, total US 155. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 73, Calif 173, Fla 5, total US 251. MIXED CITRUS: Fla 52 frt, 12 exp, Tex 14 frt, 2 exp, total US 66 frt, 14 exp. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 8, Calif 36, Fla 48 frt, 3 exp, Fla 3, La 2, Minn 2, Tex 111 frt, 1 exp, total US 210 frt, 4 exp; unreported 25th Ill 1. ONIONS: Calif 1, Colo 4, Ida 7, Mich 11, Minn 1, N Y 27, Ohio 1, Oreg 4, Wis 1, total US 57; origin not specified 1. ORANGES: Ariz 1, Calif 81, Fla 255, Tex 16, total US 333. SPINACH: Tex 42 frt, 1 exp, 2 manf, total US 42 frt, 1 exp, 2 manf. SWEET POTATOES: Calif 1, Fla 1, La 23, N Jer 1, N C 1 exp, S C 1, Tenn 4, Tex 2, total US 33 frt, 1 exp. TOMATOES: Fla 47, total US 47; origin not specified 10. APPLES: Mich 3, Mo 3, N Jer 2, N Y 10, Oreg 8, Va 10, Wash 80 com'l, 2 manf, total US 119 com'l, 2 manf; unreported 25th Va 2. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 41; Beets Tex 8, total US 8; Broccoli US 14; Cauliflower US 33; Escarole US 4; Greens US 4; Lemons US 41 com'l, 1 manf; Pears US 9; Green Peas US 8; origin not specified 24; Peppers US 6; origin not specified 1; Strawberries US 1 exp; unreported 25th US 1 exp; Turnips & Rutabagas Tex 2, total US 2; origin not specified 20.

CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR SUNDAY, Feb. 27.

POTATOES: Calif 12, Fla 2, Maine 3, Mont 2, Nebr 24, Wash 3, Wyo 5, total US 53. APPLES: Wash 8, total US 8. CABBAGE: Calif 3, Fla 2, Tex 2, total US 7; unreported 24th Fla 8 Govt purchases; deduct Fla 8 com'l. CARROTS: Bunched- Calif 2, Tex 2, total US 4. Topped- none. CELERY: Calif 7, Fla 1, total US 8. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 1, total US 1. LETTUCE: Ariz, Yuma Dist 16, Calif 63, total US 79. MIXED CITRUS: Calif 2, Fla 17 exp, total US 19. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 2, Calif 5, Fla 4 frt, 5 exp, Tex 3, total US 15 frt, 5 exp. ONIONS: Mich 1, total US 1. ORANGES: Calif 8, Fla 16, Tex 1, total US 25. SPINACH: Tex 1 com'l, 2 manf, total US 3. SWEET POTATOES: La 4, total US 4. TOMATOES: Fla 12, total US 12; origin not specified 48. MISCELLANEOUS: Snap Beans & Limas US 2; Beets US 3; Broccoli US 5; Cauliflower US 2; Greens US 2; Lemons US 12; Green Peas US 8; origin not specified 1; Peppers US 2; orig. not spec. 2; Turnips & Rutabagas, origin not specified 2.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 72 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 28.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 4 Ida, 1 N Dak, 1 Minn; Apples - 3 Wash; Bananas - 3 Origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Tex; Grapefruit - 2 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 12 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Onions - 1 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 2 Orig not specified; Peanuts - 2 Tex; Peas - 1 Orig not spec. Total 38.  
DIVERTED: Potatoes - 1 Idaho; Bananas - 2 Origin not specified; Lettuce - 2 Calif. Total Diverted 5.  
UNLOADED: Potatoes - 2 Minn; Apples - 2 Wash; Bananas - 2 Origin not Specified; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Tex; Onions - 1 Calif; Peanuts - 2 Tex. Total Unloads 13.  
ON TRACK: Potatoes - 4 Ida, 1 Utah, 1 N Dak; Apples - 1 Wash; Cabbage 1 Tex; Gfruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 11 Calif; Onions - 1 Calif; Oranges - 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 2 Origin not Spec; Green Peas - 1 Orig not spec. Total Track 27.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 26.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 7 Colo, 5 Ida, 1 Wyo, 2 Utah; Apples - 1 Oreg; Celery - 1 Fla; Gfruit - 4 Tex; Lemons - 9 Calif; Lettuce - 1 Ariz, 3 Calif; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex; Oranges - 6 Tex, 1 Calif, 1 Ariz; Tomatoes - 1 Tex, 1 Orig not Specified, total Arrivals 46.  
DIVERTED: Lemons - 10 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Oranges - 1 Ariz; Total Diverted 13.  
UNLOADED: Potatoes - 6 Ida, 4 Colo, 1 Nebr, 1 ND, 1 Wyo; Apples - 1 Wash, 1 Oreg; Celery - 2 Fla; Gfruit - 4 Tex; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Veg - 1 Tex; Oranges - 7 Tex, 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 1 Tex; 1 Orig not spec; Carrots - 1 Tex. Total Unloads 39.  
ON TRACK: Potatoes - 2 Ida, 6 Colo, 2 Ut; Gfruit - 1 Tex; Lemons - 5 Calif; Lett - 1 Calif. Total 17.  
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LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT SHIPMENTS (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy, Delicious \$4.05, "C" grade \$3.95.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-30s \$2.75-3.00.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Cent. America \$7.50; Mexico \$6.75.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmprs, fair qlty Valentines \$4.50; Tendergreens \$4.00.  
 BEANS, LIMA: Fla bu hmprs \$7.50.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.00; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$1.50-1.75.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex crts, 24s \$3.00.  
 BRUSSELS SPROUTS: Calif 25-1b drum \$6.00-6.50.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-1b sack \$1.00-1.25, few \$1.50.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 5,000 \$4.25-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$3.00; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$1.75.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50; Calif pony crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.50.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz \$4.50-5.00; Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-4.75; Calif 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 3-4 doz \$5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$2.85.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 EGGPLANT: Fla 1 1/2 bu crts, Fcy, medium size \$6.00.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes, 54-96s \$2.00-3.25; 112-126s \$2.60-3.00; Pinks 54-80s \$3.50-3.85; 96-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. boxes 54-80s \$3.50-4.25.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-490s \$6.50-7.00; 588s \$6.00-6.50, fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley, 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.50-4.00.  
 LIMES: Mexico 600s box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$2.85.  
 GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 90¢-\$1.00.

ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.00.  
 ONION SETS: Ill. 32-1b sacks, White \$6.50-7.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias 126-216s \$4.00-4.50; 252s \$3.50-4.00; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu crts 252-324s \$2.50-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 100-220s \$5.50-5.90; 252-288s \$4.75-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Mexico bu tubs few \$5.00.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Fla bu bsks, Ex Fcy \$4.75.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-2.85. New crop: Texas Triumphs, Victory grade, washed 50-1b sacks \$2.75-3.00; bu bsks \$3.25.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif boxes, 40-1b \$5.25.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed 50-1b sacks \$1.50-1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmprs and bsks \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla bu hprs, few Yellow \$5.50; White \$3.75.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; bu bsks, good qlty \$2.75-3.00; few \$3.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico, originals & repacks, wrapped mostly 5 x 7s & smaller, few 6 x 6s, best qlty \$5.00-5.50; fair qlty \$4.25-4.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$2.85.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$2.75; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Orgs Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

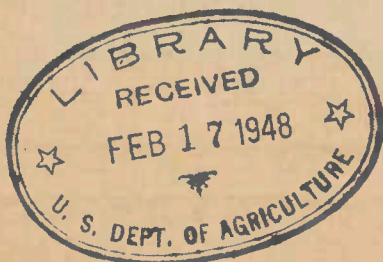
Mon Feb 28	771	452	47	328	75	112	96	149	21	113
Mon Feb 21	699	433	39	221	34	109	92	213	29	120

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Cloudy, 31°. Old stock: Supplies moderate; for Russets and Western Triumphs demand moderate, market firm for best stock; for Northern stock demand very light, market dull. On track 257; arrived 10 Colo, 15 Idaho, 5 Mich, 1 Maine, 36 Minn, 2 Mont, 17 Nebr, 71 N Dak, 2 N Y, 1 Oreg, 3 S Dak, 20 Wis, 4 Wyo; diverted 53. Track sales, carlots outweight and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, few sales \$3.15-3.41; unwashed, few sales \$3.10-3.40; Idaho Standard grade, unwashed, few \$2.50; Idaho Utility grade, washed and unwashed \$2.15-2.20, best \$2.20; Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.47; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, jobbed \$3.49; 1 car fair quality, washed \$2.80; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Bliss Triumphs, 1 car 85% US 1 quality, unwashed \$2.10; Cobblers, 1 car 85% US No 1 quality, unwashed \$2.25; Early Ohios, 1 car good qlty, unwashed \$2.85; Mich Russet Rurals, US No 1s size "A", unwashed, 1 car \$2.25. New stock: Supplies moderate demand slow, market dull. On track 2; arrived 2 Fla. No early track sales reported. Street sales: Fla 50-1b sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00-3.10, best mostly \$3.15; fair quality, dark color \$2.85-2.90; US No 1s size "B", washed \$2.75-3.00; fair quality \$2.50; bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.15-3.25, few \$3.00; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.00-3.15; fair quality \$2.85.  
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CARLOT SHIPMENTS FROM ENTIRE UNITED STATES REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 28.

(Light shipments from miscellaneous states not listed)

Note: SHIPMENTS OF FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES RELEASED AS "GOVERNMENT PURCHASES" REPRESENT PURCHASES MADE BY THE WAR FOOD ADMINISTRATION IN ITS PRICE SUPPORT PROGRAM. SHIPMENTS FOR ACCOUNT THE ARMY AND NAVY ARE INCLUDED WITH COMMERCIAL MOVEMENT.

POTATOES: Calif 10, Colo 12, Conn 6 frt, 3 Government Purchases, Fla 19, Idaho 140 frt, 8 mfr, Ind 3, Iowa 2, Maine 350 frt, 14 Government Purchases, Mass 1 frt, 4 Government Purchases, Mich 15, Minn 123 frt, 1 Government Purchase, Mont 6, Nebr 20, Long Island 12, N.Y. 10, N.D. 150 frt, 5 Government Purchases, Ore 20, Pa 8, S.D. 8, Utah 6, Vt 2, Wash 5 frt, 1 mfr, Wisc 13 frt, 4 Government Purchases, Wyo 5, total US 952 frt, 31 Government Purchases, 9 mfr; origin not specified 6; unreported 27th Utah 1; unreported 26th Idaho 3 mfr, Ind 2, total US 5; unreported 23rd Wis 1 Government Purchase; deduct 26th Idaho 2; deduct 23rd Wis 1. Total to date this season old US 231,072; new US 1,574; last season old US 175,995, includes 1,214 Government Purchases; new US 1,043. APPLES: Calif 2, Mass 2, N.Y. 6, Ore 5, Va 14, Wash 35, incomplete, W.Va 1, total US 65; this season US 28,633, including 10 Government Purchases; last season US 39,589. BEANS, SNAP AND LIMAS: Fla 30, total US 30; this season US 4,107; last season US 3,404. CABBAGE: Calif 13, Fla 31 frt, 2 Government Purchases, Texas 36 frt, 4 Government Purchases, 4 mfr, total US 80 frt, 6 Government Purchases, 8 mfr; this season old US 22,483, including 148 Government Purchases; new US 6,017; last season old US 24,849, including 6 Government Purchases; new US 4548. CARROTS: Bunched- Ariz 9, Calif 15, Tex 46, total US 70; this season old US 14,497; new US 5,397; last season old US 19,377, including 45 Government Purchases; new US 6,258. Topped- N.Y. 1 mfr, Tex 2, total US 2 frt, 1 mfr. CELERY: Calif 17, Fla 62, total US 79; unreported 26th Calif 2; this season US 9,672; last season US 8,464. GRAPEFRUIT: Ariz 3, Calif 2, Fla 49, Tex 77, total US 131; this season US 17,339, including 7 Government Purchases; last season US 17,071. LETTUCE: Ariz 90, Calif 185, total US 275; this season US 25,429; last season US 22,033. MIXED CITRUS FRUIT: Ariz 2, Calif 1, Fla 25 frt, 6 exp, Tex 12 frt, 2 exp, total US 40 frt, 8 exp; this season US 14,402; last season US 12,072. MIXED VEGETABLES: Ariz 14, Calif 25, Fla 31 frt, 1 exp, Tex 100, total US 174 frt, 1 exp; this season US 11,800; last season US 8,253. ONIONS: Colo 6, Idaho 7, Mich 9, N.Y. 19, Ore 4, total US 46; unreported 27th N.Y. 1; this season US 23,683, including 68 Government Purchases; last season US 30,720. ORANGES: Calif 79, Fla 206, Tex 14, total US 299; unreported 27th Fla 1; this season US 43,575; last season US 34,946. SPINACH: Tex 44 frt, 1 exp, total US 44 frt, 1 exp; this season US 4,003; last season US 3,139. SWEET POTATOES: La 6, N.J. 2, N.C. 1 exp, Texas 4, total US 12 frt, 1 exp; this season US 7,584; last season US 7,652. TOMATOES: Fla 16, total US 16; origin not specified 8; this season US 2,100; last season US 2,093. MISCELLANEOUS: Beets Tex 9; total US 9; Broccoli total US 10, unreported 27th Calif 1, unreported 26th Calif 1; Cauliflower total US 38; Escarole total US 2; Greens total US 6; Lemons total US 28 frt, 1 mfr; Pears total US 11; Peas, Green total US 8; Peppers total US 6; Strawberries total US 1 exp; Turnips and Rutabagas Tex 1, total US 4, origin not specified 13.

FORT WORTH CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 24 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 29.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 1 Colo, 1 Minn; Apples - 1 Wash; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Celery - 1 Fla; Lettuce - 1 Calif; Oranges - 2 Texas; Rutabagas - 1 Texas. Total Arrivals 10.

DIVERTED: Lettuce - 3 Calif. Total Diverted 3.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Idaho, 1 Utah, 1 N.D.; Bananas - 2 origin not specified; Cabbage - 1 Texas; Grapefruit - 1 Texas; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 2 Calif; Onions - 1 Calif; Oranges - 1 Texas, 1 Calif; Rutabagas - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified. Total Unloaded 15.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 3 Idaho, 1 Colo, 1 Minn; Apples - 2 Wash; Celery - 1 Fla; Lemons - 1 Calif; Lettuce - 7 Calif; Oranges - 1 Texas; Tomatoes - 1 origin not specified; Green Peas - 1 origin not specified. Total On Track 19.

DALLAS CONSOLIDATED RAILROAD REPORT COVERING 48 HOURS TO 8:00 A. M. Feb. 28.

ARRIVED: Potatoes - 3 Idaho, 3 Colo, 1 Maine, 2 Utah, 1 Nebr; Apples - 4 Wash; Bananas - 3 origin not specified; Grapefruit - 2 Texas; Lemons - 7 Calif; Lettuce - 4 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Citrus - 2 Texas; Mixed Vegetables - 2 Texas, 1 Fla; Oranges - 3 Tex, 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified; Avocados - 1 Calif. Total Arrived 43.

DIVERTED: Lemons - 3 Calif. Total Diverted 3.

UNLOADED: Potatoes - 1 Idaho, 5 Colo, 1 Utah, 1 Nebr; Apples - 3 Wash; Bananas - 3 origin not specified; Lemons - 2 Calif; Lettuce - 5 Calif, 1 Ariz; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Tex, 1 Fla; Oranges - 1 Tex, 1 Calif; Tomatoes - 2 origin not specified; Avocados - 1 Calif. Total Unloaded 29.

ON TRACK: Potatoes - 4 Colo, 3 Utah, 4 Idaho, 1 Maine; Apples - 1 Wash; Grapefruit - 3 Texas; Lemons - 7 Calif; Mixed Citrus - 2 Texas; Mixed Vegetables - 1 Texas; Oranges - 2 Texas. Total On Track 28.

F.O.B. SHIPPING POINT INFORMATION REPORTED FOR MONDAY, Feb. 28.

LETTUCE: IMPERIAL VALLEY & YUMA DIST, Ariz. Clear, mild. Demand slow, market unsettled, and weaker. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Crates, Iceberg type, 4-5 dozen, heavy to 5 doz mostly \$2.00, some \$2.15-2.25, few low as \$1.75; heavy to 4 doz mostly \$2.25, occasional straight cars high as \$2.50; top ice extra.

POTATOES: IDAHO FALLS. UPPER VALLEY POINTS. Min 12; Max 38, cloudy. Fairly good wire inquiry, demand good, market slightly stronger; average prices slightly higher. Delivered sales shipping point basis: 100-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A", unwashed \$2.50-2.60, washed \$2.60-2.69; some booking for March high as \$2.79; 10-lb sacks Russets, US No 1s size "A" per cwt \$3.09; few booked for March \$3.19.

CELERY: SANFORD-OVILDO SECTION, Fla. Partly cloudy, warm. Haulings moderate, demand fairly good; for 6 doz and larger market about steady; for 8-10 doz market slightly stronger. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: 16-in crts, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled, Golden Heart, 3-4 doz \$2.00-2.15; 6 doz \$1.85-2.00; 8 doz \$1.75-2.00; 10 doz \$1.60-2.00; Pascal type, 4 doz and larger \$2.50-2.75, few \$3.00; 6 doz \$2.00-2.75; precooling 10¢ extra.

TOMATOES: LOWER EAST COAST, Fla. Haulings light, demand good, market steady. Sales f.o.b. shipping point: Lugs, green, unwrapped, 6 x 6s \$5.00-5.25; 6 x 7s \$4.50-4.75; 7 x 7s \$3.75-4.00.

SNAP BEANS: POMPANO SECTION, Fla. Haulings moderate, demand moderate, market firm. Sales to local buyers: Bushmrs Bountifuls, ordinary quality \$1.50; Stringless Black Valentines, some fair quality \$2.75-3.00; ordinary quality \$2.00-2.25; Plentifuls \$2.40-2.85, few \$3.00-3.25; fair quality \$2.00-2.35; ordinary quality \$1.50-1.70, poorer \$1.15; Tendergreens \$2.00-2.50, best mostly \$2.50; fair quality \$1.75-1.85; Wax, flat type, fair quality \$2.50. (over)



LOCAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE MARKET

SALES UNTIL 9:00 A. M. ON THIS MORNING'S WHOLESALE MARKET IN LESS THAN CARLOT SHIPMENTS (Unless otherwise stated all quotations are on stock of good merchantable quality and condition.)

APPLES: Wash boxes, Comb. Ex Fcy & Fcy, Delicious \$4.05, "C" grade \$5.95; bulk per cwt Winesaps \$9.00.  
 AVOCADOS: Flats, Calif 24-30s \$2.75-3.00.  
 BANANAS: Per cwt. Cent. America \$7.50; Mexico \$6.75.  
 BEANS, SNAP: Fla bu hmpers, fair qlty. Valentines \$4.50; Tendergreens \$4.00.  
 BEANS, LIMA: Fla bu hmpers \$7.50.  
 BEETS: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢; L.A. crt 3 doz \$2.00; Topped, per bu bskt or sack \$1.50-1.75.  
 BROCCOLI: Tex crts, 24s \$3.00.  
 CABBAGE: New, Tex round type, 50-lb sack \$1.00-1.25, few \$1.50.  
 CABBAGE PLANTS: Tex bu bsks, approx. 5,000 \$4.00-5.00.  
 CARROTS: Tex L.A. crts, 6 doz \$3.00; per doz bnch 50-75¢; topped, Tex bu bskt & sack \$1.75.  
 CAULIFLOWER: Tex bulk per doz \$2.25-2.50; Calif only crts, 11-12s \$2.25-2.50.  
 CELERY: Fla 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 2-4 doz mostly \$4.50-5.00, few \$4.00; Pascal 2-4 doz \$4.50-4.75; Calif 16-in wirebound crts, Golden Heart, 3-4 doz \$5.00.  
 COCONUTS: Mex. bulk per doz \$2.40.  
 COLLARDS: Tex per doz bnchs 50-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$2.85.  
 CUCUMBERS: Hothouse, Ind. boxes, 1 doz Fcy size \$3.25.  
 EGGPLANT: Fla 1 1/2 bu crts, Fcy, medium to small size \$5.50-6.00.  
 GARLIC: White per lb Calif 40¢; Mexico 25-30¢.  
 GRAPEFRUIT: Tex Marsh Seedless, boxes, 54-96s \$2.00-3.25; 112-126s \$2.60-3.00; Pinks 54-80s \$3.50-3.85; 96-112s \$3.00-3.25; Ruby Red Std. boxes 54-80s \$3.50-4.25.  
 LEMONS: Calif boxes 300-490s \$6.50-7.00; 588s \$6.00-6.50; fair qlty 490-588s \$6.25.  
 LETTUCE: L.A. crts, Iceberg type, Calif Imperial Valley, 4 doz \$4.00-4.50; 5 doz \$3.75-4.00.  
 LINES: Mexico 500s box \$6.50.  
 MUSHROOMS: Mo. per pint 50¢.  
 MUSTARD: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢; L.A. crts, 5 doz \$2.85.

GREEN ONIONS: Tex per doz bnch 90¢-\$1.00.  
 ONIONS: No supplies.  
 ONION PLANTS: Tex Crystal White Wax, crts, approx 6,000 \$4.50-5.00.  
 ONION SETS: Ill. 32-lb sacks, White \$6.50-7.00.  
 ORANGES: Tex Valencias 126-216s \$4.00-4.50; 252s \$3.50-4.00; 288s \$3.00-4.00; 324-360s \$2.50-2.75; Temples, bu crts 252-324s \$2.50-3.50; Calif Navels, boxes 100-220s \$5.50-5.90; 252-288s \$4.75-5.00; 344-392s \$3.50.  
 PARSLEY: Tex per doz bnch 75-90¢.  
 PEAS: Mexico bu tubs \$3.50.  
 PEPPERS: Sweet, Calif Wonders, Fla bu bsks, Fcy \$4.75; 1 1/2 bu crts \$7.00; Mex. crts \$5.52.  
 PEPPERS: Hot- Tex small per lb 20-25¢.  
 POTATOES: Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.50-3.85; US No 2s \$2.50-3.00; unclassified, ord qlty \$1.50; Rurals, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75; Brown Beautys, US No 1s size "A" \$3.50; Cobblers, US No 2s, washed \$3.00; Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.75-4.04, few fine quality \$4.39; Standards \$3.59; US No 2s \$2.75-2.85. New crop: Triumphs, Tex Victory grade, 50-lb sacks, washed, \$2.75-3.00; Fla US No 1s, washed, 50-lb sacks \$4.00.  
 RADISHES: Tex per doz bnch 40-50¢; crts, 90's \$3.00.  
 RHUBARB: Calif boxes, 40-lb \$3.25.  
 RUTABAGAS: Minn US No 1s, washed and waxed, 50-lb sacks \$1.50-1.75.  
 SPINACH: Tex bu hmpers and bsks \$1.25-1.50.  
 SQUASH: Fla bu hprs Yellow \$5.50-6.00; White \$3.75, few higher.  
 SWEET POTATOES: Tex Porto Ricans, bu crts, US No 1s \$3.50-4.00, few fine qlty \$4.50; bu bsks, good qlty \$3.00-3.25.  
 TOMATOES: Lugs, Mexico, originals & repacks, wrapped mostly 6 x 7s & smaller, few 6 x 6s, best qlty \$5.00-5.50; fair qlty \$4.25-4.75.  
 TURNIP GREENS: Tex per doz bnch 60-75¢.  
 L.A. crts, 5 doz \$2.85.  
 TURNIPS: Tex per doz bnchs 65-75¢; L.A. crts, 4 doz \$2.75; Topped, Tex bu bsks, and bu sacks \$1.00-1.50.

COMBINED TRACK HOLDINGS IN 14 LEADING MARKETS

Pots. Lett. Onions Oras Toms Apples Cel. Cab. Sweet Pot. Gfruit

Tue Feb 29	731	401	39	327	60	103	111	116	23	111
Tue Feb 22	No track report account holiday.									

REPORTS BY DIRECT LEASED WIRE FROM IMPORTANT MARKETS

POTATO MARKET: CHICAGO, Ill. Old stock: Supplies moderate, demand very light; for best Idaho Russets and Western Red stock market firm; for Northern stock market dull. On track 267; arrived 6 Colo, 27 Ida, 3 Mich, 3 Maine, 19 Minn, 1 Mont, 9 Nebr, 21 N Dak, 1 Oreg, 3 S Dak, 6 Wis; diverted 50. Track sales, carlots outweigh and invoice weight, sacked per cwt: Idaho Russets, US No 1s size "A", washed, very few sales \$3.30-3.40; unwashed, no sales reported. Colo Red McClures, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car jobbed \$3.47; Nebr Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed, 1 car \$3.30; 1 car jobbed \$3.49; Minn and N Dak Red River Valley Section Bliss Triumphs, US Commercial, washed \$2.50; Cobblers, US Commercial, unwashed \$2.10; Wis Chippewas, 1 car generally good quality, unwashed \$2.35. New stock: Supplies moderate, demand light, market steady. On track 2; arrived 2 Fla. Track sales, less carlots: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 2s, unwashed, 1 car \$1.50. Street sales: Fla 50-lb sacks Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.00-3.15, few \$3.25; US No 1s size "E", washed \$2.75-3.00; bu crts, Bliss Triumphs, US No 1s size "A", washed \$3.15-3.25; fair quality \$3.00; US No 1s size "B", washed \$3.15-3.25; fair quality \$2.85.  
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